

Mid-West Cotton Oil Mill and Farmer's Gin Sponsor 6 Cotton Variety Projects

Mid-West Cotton Oil Mill of Hamlin, under the management of W. R. Terry, and the Farmer's Co-Op Gin, managed by W. W. Fletcher are sponsoring six cotton projects this year among Hamlin's Vocational Agricultural boys.

Following boys plan to plant 10 to 20 acres each on the best land obtainable on their home farms. Their land is properly prepared and the boys are only awaiting planting moisture.

Five of the cotton projects will be carried out by the following boys living in the Neinda community: Joe Edwin Ford, Don Gregory, Ted Kelly, Kenneth Holway and Jimmy Joiner. The sixth boy, Donald Green, lives in the fertile farming area adjoining the Dovie Churchyard.

Three leading varieties of cotton recommended for this section, Northern Star, Delta Pine and Aquilla, have been selected.

T. C. Blankenship, local VA teacher will supervise the projects. Boys will keep complete and accurate records in order to obtain valuable faces for future use for the enterprise. Main objective of the project is to determine the best yielding and best paying varieties of cotton for the Hamlin area.

TEL Class Shower Success for Hospital Manager Reports

Women of the TEL Class of the Hamlin First Baptist Church gave a "jelly shower" last week for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, according to Boven Pope, manager of the hospital, the shower was a success.

Besides jars of apple, grape, plum, dewberry and blackberry jelly the hospital received pint jars of grape jam, plum butter, peach butter, orange marmalade, raspberry and strawberry preserves, apricot and peach preserves. Pope continued, the nice gift will enable such delicacies to be on hand for patients who might not otherwise find them many other young hospital.

Pope expressed for the hospital its thanks to the class for their interest.

County Old Settlers Reunion to Meet at Anson Wednesday

President T. O. Rowland, of the Jones County Old Settlers Reunion in Anson announced early this week to Hamlin area members, that the reunion will be held Wednesday, May 26, in the Memorial building in Anson.

Those attending are requested to bring a full basket lunch. The program will begin at 9:00 o'clock a. m. all persons who have been residents of Jones County for 40 years or longer are urged to come.

The meeting was changed last year from July 17 to the last Wednesday in May because of the hot weather in July.

Blessed Events



Mr. and Mrs. Odie F. Fry, a son, Audrey Odie, weighing nine pounds Sunday at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

A son, Roy Glenn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelps May 1, weighing eight pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Masserof McCaulley are the proud parents of a son born Saturday in an Abilene hospital. She is the former Betty Jo Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. "Bunk" Clawson are announcing the arrival of a son. He made his appearance at the Rotan hospital.

New Pool Opened County, Test is Stated for Fisher

About 10 miles southeast of Hamlin, General Crude Oil Company has filed a location for a No. 2W. H. Jackson, reef test near the Round Top Pool. Location is 467 feet from the south and west lines of section 88 block 1 H&TC survey. It is on permit for 5,000 feet. New location is 270 feet south-west of the same operators' No. 1 Jackson which is being completed as a Swastika pay discovery.

On initial tests made on her it was flowing oil in seven minutes on a drillstem test. It was completed in the Swastika from 3,920-25 feet before it began flowing.

Production of oil in the Strawn claimed attention in Jones County early this week with a discovery of a new pool form that formation indicated and the largest producer so far from that pay being completed.

Discovery is the Bay Petroleum Corporation and B. H. Hilburn No. 1 Matthews, subdivision 39, league 149, Dewitt County School Lands, 1 and one-fourth miles west of the Pitzer Pool.

Operators cemented casing at 4,640 feet after a two-hour drillstem test from that point to total depth of 4,660 feet, recovered 1,500 feet of clean oil and no water. The well is expected to be drilled and in production by the end of this week.

While in the Pitzer Pool was made to the tune of 750 barrels of oil per day on initial tests of the Roark, Hooker & Roark No. 1, 1 1/2 miles P. Brown, lot 32, league 150, Dewitt County School Lands.

It was originally completed in the reef as a small producer at 4,137 feet, the well was deepened to the Strawn and completed through perforations in four-inch liner at 4,642 to 4,663 feet.

New Gold Star Building for McMurry Soon

Hamlin people are reminded of the bricklaying has begun on the \$30,000 Gold Star Memorial Dormitory, shown in accompanying picture, will be completed by June 1, according to a report from Dr.



Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry College, Abilene.

The structure, built in memory of Methodist youth from Northwest Texas and New Mexico who died in World War II, will house 175 young men. Another building—President Hall—is of similar size and almost exactly like it and houses 150 young women at McMurry. Between the two dormitories is located the \$135,000 Iris Graham Memorial Dining Hall, completed last year.

Work on the interior of the Gold Star dormitory will begin within a few days and should be completed sometime before the opening of the fall term next September. It will provide adequate accommodations for men students of the college. Dr. Cooke concluded.

Neinda Baptists to Go To Fifth Sunday Meet

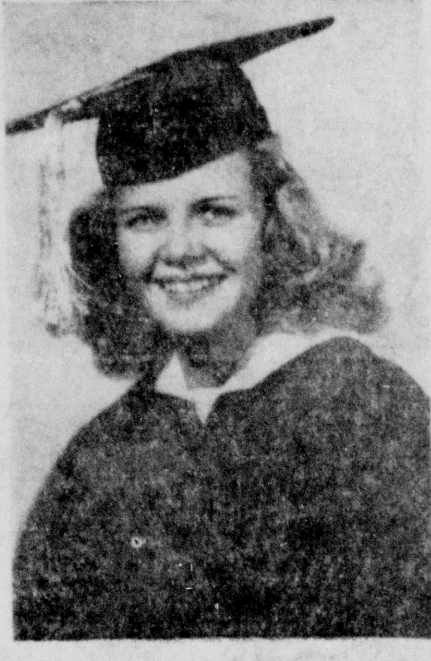
Neinda Baptist Church will be the guest of the Sherry Lake Baptist Church nine miles north of Aspermont for a Fifth Sunday Fellowship Sunday, May 30.

All friends are cordially invited to come early and spend the day, according to A. C. Roberts Jr., pastor.

SENIOR CLASS LEADERS OF 1948



LUPE CAVE
Salutatorian



SUZANNE TOLER
Valedictorian

Commencement Exercise Thursday For Hamlin High

Commencement program for the Hamlin High School Seniors of the class of 1948 was held last night at 8:30 o'clock p. m. in the Hamlin High School Auditorium.

Theme of the program was "Youth Faces Tomorrow."

Rest of the program is as follows: Processional, Janet Bonner; Invocation, Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; Chairman, Billy Jack Owen; "We Enter a New World, Lupe Cave; "Resources for Progress," Sarah Stegle; Song, "The Perfect Day," Senior Group; "Education for Tomorrow," Lela Brigham; "A Day for Free People," Aubrey Altum; "For Youth, a Challenge," Suzanne Toler; Presentation of Awards and Presentation of Diplomas; Class Gift, Jimmy Kidd; president; Benediction by Rev. D. D. Jones.

Special Saddle First Prize In Stamford Show

Hamlin area people are informed of a special saddle, first prize in the cutting horse contest at the Texas Cowboy Reunion in Stamford, July 2, 3 and 5, will be presented by the Cities Service Oil Company. A letter received, by W. G. Swenson, president, from manager of the Company made known the presentation.

Specifications of the saddle were to conform with the high-quality without fancy trimmings of the other saddles offered as prizes at the cost to be between \$175 and \$200.

According to a spokesman for the annual affair the cutting horse contest is one of the outstanding rodeo events and is intricate and exciting proving the abilities of the cowboy and horse in regular ranch work.

Winter is that time of the year when we try to keep the house as hot as it was in summer, when we complained about it.

Commencement Exercises Friday For McCaulley

McCaulley High School Seniors will graduate tonight (Friday) at 8:30 o'clock p. m. at the McCaulley High School.

Program is as follows: Processional, Mrs. Luther Rector; Invocation, Rev. Carlton Thompson; Salutatory, Margaret Darden; Song, "After Graduation Day," Senior Girls; Senior's Plans, Charlie Lee; Class History, Billie Joyce Cox; Class Prophecy, Jo Ann Henne-Valedictory, Patsy Maberry; Pledge; Class Will, Peggy Humphries; Presentation of Diplomas and Awards, Superintendent W. W. Webb; Benediction, Roy Hennington and the Recessional by Mrs. Luther Rector.

Commencement Exercise Thursday For Sylvester High

Commencement for the Sylvester High School Seniors last night at 8:00 o'clock p. m. was as follows.

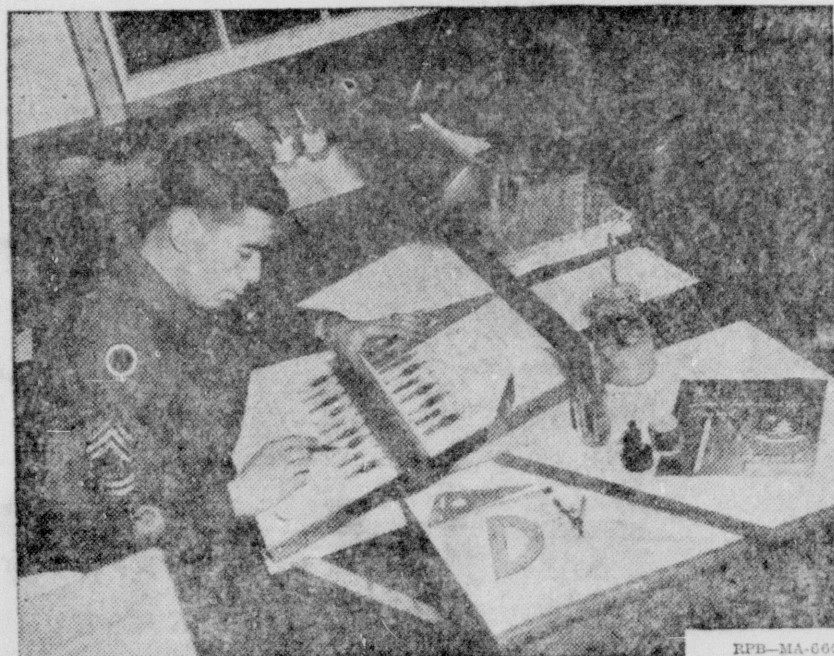
Processional, Mrs. Paul Turner; Invocation, Tracy King; Salutatory, Johnnie Newman; Valedictory, Mary Ann King; Grammar School Diplomas, J. H. McHaney; Awards, Mrs. J. H. McHaney; Commencement Address, Dr. H. M. Holm; Awarding of Diplomas, Orvel P. Hill and Benediction, Rev. E. R. McGregor.

She Was a Sucker.
Talkative Lady—"A big man like you could find a better occupation than catching poor little fish."

Wise Fisherman—"Maybe so, lady. But if this poor little fish had kept his mouth shut, he wouldn't be on this hook."

Pasture Is Self Feeder.
A pasture is a labor saving device, since the animals gather their own feed and spread manure as they graze, cutting down on the farmer's work.

Regular Army Artist at Work



Skilled artists and draftsmen are finding new uses for their talents in the Army Ground Forces. Every soldier has the opportunity to continue his education by enrollment in the United States Armed Forces Institute, which offers numerous courses in specialized fields.

Hamlin Pied Pipers Expected To Repeat As Champion Club

V.F.W. Youth Program to Begin Monday, May 31

All boys from the ages of six to 16 are invited to attend the first meeting of the Summer Recreation Program at the Baseball Park Monday. Program is under the direction of Joe King, formerly coach in the Hamlin School, and all boys are urged to attend dressed to participate in any activity so desired.

Several sports will be offered, mainly softball, swimming, and tennis. Tournament will be staged and all will have a chance to participate.

This program is the first of its kind in Hamlin and it is hoped that it will become a yearly activity.

Voluntary leadership will be greatly appreciated and it is urged that the parents will feel free to visit the Park at anytime.

Health Officer Gives Suggestions for Care Of Infantile Paralysis

Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis, which is occurring now in some sections of the State, to Hamlin area people.

Strict sanitary measures should be observed in all communities. Eliminate rats, mosquitoes and houseflies, destroy their breeding places. Every effort should be made to secure approved garbage disposal systems and safe water supplies, he continued. Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

All swimming pools should maintain standards approved by the State Department of Health, which includes maintenance of proper chlorine level.

Only approved milk should be used and raw foods and vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, filth and insects. All food-handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State Law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils. Those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should close one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in the maintaining of cleanliness, the Dr. continued.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided and they should not visit in homes where there is illness. It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts, especially in children during an outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches and theaters be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, crowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back. When suspicious symptoms appear a physician should be called immediately.

Similar Experience.
"I just got out of prison this morning," a traveler told a man on the train. "It's going to be tough facing old friends."

"I can sympathize with you," commented the older. "I'm just getting home from the state legislature."

Supplement Each Other.
Balancing cotton with cattle should be the goal of every cotton producing state. Cotton growing and livestock production need not be competitive. Each should supplement the other.—A. L. Ward of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

ONE MOMENT, PLEASE!
By Travis Hash
We find interested people most interesting.

District 5-A Playoff Sends Pied Pipers To Roscoe May 28

Predictions are being freely made that Hamlin's Pied Pipers district baseball champions of 1947, will again emerge as district champions this year.

Play off in District 5-A baseball will begin next Wednesday, with Hamlin Pied Pipers going to Roscoe. The game is scheduled to start at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Roscoe will come to Hamlin for the second playoff game at 8:15 o'clock p. m. Friday night, May 28.

Other teams in the playoff series will be determined to night (Friday), when Merkel plays at Anson.

Final games will start between the winners of the first round Tuesday, June 8.

Pipers Win Over Roscoe 8-7 Tuesday

Hamlin's Pied Pipers notched another victory in District 5-A competition here Tuesday by defeating the Roscoe Plowboys, 8-7. A Shaughnessy playoff of the top four teams of the district through the double round-robin schedule will begin Tuesday. Teams in the playoff will be Hamlin, Anson, Rotan and Roscoe.

Hamlin	000 101 x-8 7 4
Roscoe	312 10 0-7 3 6

Schuler and Haynes; McCulley Carter (2), Black, (4), and Franks

Hamlin Cardinals Beat Trent by 4-2

Hamlin Cardinals defeated the Trent Tigers at Trent Sunday 4 to 2, in a pitcher's duel between Runt McCoy, pitcher for Hamlin and Bill Jones, ace southpaw of the Trent staff.

Both pitchers were tapped for six hits, however, three errors by the Trent nine contributed in the Hamlin scoring, two of them coming in the seventh.

Ready to Play With Her.

The landlady brought in a plateful of bread, cut in extremely thin slices.
"Did you cut these, Mrs. Jones?" asked one of the men boarders.
"Yes, I cut them," came the stern reply.
"Okay," said the boarder, "I'll deal."

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene Named Local American Cancer Society Field Army Head

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, chairman of the fine arts department of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, has been named Field Army commander for District 13 of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division.

Announcement of Mrs. Dudley's selection was made by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, commander of the Field Army for Texas.

Mrs. Dudley will direct activities of the ACS Field Army in 21 counties. The Field Army is a layman's group, composed of men and women who actively undertake to participate in the three-pronged attack on cancer—through education, service, and research.

Mrs. Dudley was for four years president of the Abilene City Federation of Women's Clubs encompassing 25 clubs. She organized and directed numerous war program activities and relief measures. From 1945 to 1947 she was president of the Sixth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

President of the Abilene Good Government Association, she has held offices in the Abilene Study Club, the Abilene Women's Club, and the Abilene Garden Club. She is vice president of the Taylor County Heart Association.

District 13 of the Cancer So-

Two FFA Boys Adviser Purchase Jersey Heifers

Two Hamlin FFA boys and their Vocational Agricultural instructor, T. C. Blankenship, made a trip the past week-end to the Knolle Jersey Farm at Sandio to purchase registered heifers. James Brigham and Raymond Seifres accompanied their adviser to Knolle's who herd of registered Jersey cattle in owns and operates the largest of the World.

James Brigham, Raymond Seifres and Donald Johnson purchased one outstanding heifer each at Knolle's. They are the best bred Jerseys secured by Hamlin boys this year and should prove to be very valuable foundation breeding animals in the future. The heifers are from some of the highest rated and classified grand dames and grand sires in the United States. They feature the rich breeding of Masterman Golden Jolly and the great Jester Aim blood lines.

Boys and their adviser are happy over the fact that these five Jerseys greatly strengthens their dairy program.

Only 18 months or 20 months ago the Hamlin Vocational Agriculture boys owning registered Jerseys formed a Junior Jersey Club and purchased a fine young bull from the Heep Jersey Farm at Austin to improve their Jerseys.

Baseball Team to Play Afton Sunday Abilene Wed. Nite

Hamlin's baseball team will take on the Afton baseball club Sunday evening at 3:00 o'clock p. m. according to a report received by The Herald.

Game will be played at the City Park an admission prices are the same according to a spokesman.

Then Wednesday night the club takes on the Abilene Merchants Game time is 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Remove Stains from Beneath.
U. S. Department of Agriculture textile chemists say to work from underside of the cloth when sponging out a stain in the fabric, since this method washes off rather than driving the stain into or through the cloth.

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society's Texas Division comprises the following counties: Archer, Baylor, Callahan, Clay, Eastland, Haskell, Jack, Jones, Knox, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Shackelford, Stephens, Tarrant, Taylor, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

THE QUESTIONS

1. When was the "Star Spangled Banner" officially adopted as our national anthem?
2. What is the fastest speed ever reached by a human being under his own power?
3. Where did the word "khaki" originate?
4. When is the last veteran of World War II expected to die?
5. How long will the U. S. coal supply last if used at the present rate?
6. How big was Tom Thumb?

THE ANSWERS

1. March 3, 1931, by an act of Congress.
2. 108.92 miles per hour which Alfred Letourner attained on a bicycle behind a wind-shielding motorcar at Bakersfield, California, May 7, 1941.
3. India. It means earthlike.
4. By 2030. The last World War I vet by 1995.
5. For the next 1500 years.
6. Tom Thumb stood three feet four inches when fully grown. He weighed seventy pounds.

Simulated Spring Speeds Up

Romance Among Queen Bees

ORANGE, CALIF.—Bees are going to do their romancing early this year in some California hives, thanks to the ingenuity of Leroy Bell, Orange apiarist, who has become a specialist in simulating spring weather.

Seeking to offer his queen bees on the market before nature takes its hand in normally increasing the population, Bell had engineers of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator company devise a weather system that stirs the dormant urge in indifferent drones.

The "spring-maker" automatically controls temperature in hives at a balmy 80 to 85 degrees and provides relative humidity of 60 to 65 per cent. To carry the deception further, Bell has artificial illumination that brings dawn earlier and delays "sunset."

He lets California sunshine take care of the daylight hours, when the queens actually mate out of doors, but the simulated springtime of the hives speeds the grafting of larvae from which new queens emerge.

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NANCY

YUMMY

I'LL HAVE ANOTHER CANDY, AUNT FRITZI!

WHERE ARE YOUR MANNERS, NANCY?—SAY 'PLEASE'!

MAY I HAVE ANOTHER CANDY, AUNT FRITZI, PLEASE?

NO

SEE—WHAT DOES IT GET YOU?

By Ernie Bushmiller

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By Margarita

WELL, WELL, IF IT ISN'T LITTLE REGINALD! KITCHY KOO!!

OH HELLO AUNT PEARL!

MY! YOU IS GETTING TO BE A BIG BOY—ISN'T OO?

AND WHAT DID MY ITTY BITTY MAN LEARN TODAY IN SCHOOL?

I LEARNED THAT IN SPEAKING ONE SHOULD ENUNCIATE DISTINCTLY, FOREGO SLANG AND IDIOMATIC EXPRESSIONS, AND CHOOSE ONE'S WORDS WITH CAREFUL DISCRIMINATION!

By Bud Fisher

HOW'S THE NEW BABY, GUS?

OH, HE'S FINE, JEFF!

WHEN I GET MARRIED I'M ONLY GOIN' TO HAVE THREE CHILDREN!

THREE? YOU USED TO SAY YOU'D HAVE DOZENS!

YEH, BUT I FOUND OUT SOMETHING IN THE ENCYCLOPEDIA!

WHATCHA FIND OUT?

EVERY FOURTH CHILD BORN IN THE WORLD IS CHINESE—SO I'M ONLY GONNA HAVE THREE!

MUTT, HOLD MY SON FOR A MINUTE!—I'M TAKIN' BABY JEFF FOR A STROLL!

By Arthur Pointer

WHERE'D YOU GET THOSE FISH?

JITTER SHOWED ME WHERE HE CATCHES 'EM

IT'S EASY TO FIND SOMEBODY MARKED IT WITH A FLAG

MAN! THIS IS PERFECT! DROP YOUR HOOK PULL IN A WHALE!

SO YOU'RE THE BUM WHO'S BEEN FISHING OUT OF MY NETS!

By Gene Byrnes

FORE!

OUCH!

HUM! JUST AS I THOUGHT!

A WOMAN DRIVER!

by Clark S. Haas

OH, MY ACHING BACK!!

PERSCRIPTIONS FILLED R

—ANYTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU, FRIEND?—

YEAH! COME OUTSIDE AND HELP ME FINISH CHANGING MY TIRE!!

By Len Kleis

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University Bone 'Bank' Reduces Amputation Cases

KANSAS CITY, MO. — A bone "bank" in the medical center at the University of Kansas has prevented several amputations and speeded the recovery of many patients.

It is a system of preserving human bone sections in a deep-freeze unit until needed in surgery and was set up by Dr. James Weaver, head of the department of orthopedics. Bone sections ranging from tiny fragments to pieces eight inches long and one inch wide are kept in the "bank." No complete bones are preserved.

Dr. Weaver explained that the bone bank does not keep spare arms and legs, since techniques have not been developed to use them, but that the addition of a small bone section frequently enables physicians to save a limb from amputation.

Improperly Knit Fracture

The most frequent use of bone-bank "deposits" is in cases of improperly knit fractures, the doctor said. In such cases the faulty bone area is removed by surgery and a section from the bone bank is fitted carefully into the gap. Almost invariably the substitute bone is accepted by the body and the splice heals perfectly.

Dr. Weaver explained that bone-grafting operations have increased in recent years and that many surgeons have performed scores of them successfully. The practice has been to obtain the needed bone sections from other parts of the patient's body—usually the hip or shin—and in many cases this has presented considerable problems.

The bone bank has provided a simple answer to the question of bone supply and physicians at the medical center expect similar refrigerating facilities to be set up by other hospitals. So far there are only three or four in the United States.

Obtained From Operations

Bone-bank deposits originally were obtained in the operating rooms at the center. Many types of chest and lung operations require the removal of a rib and these ribs have been placed in the bank if the patient from which they were obtained passed rigid physical tests.

Some types of amputations have yielded bone sections perfect enough for preservation and in one case bone sections have been taken immediately after death.

Written permission was obtained from the survivors of the person who died and the death was the result of an accident. Physicians found those bone sections which were taken under operating conditions, functioned perfectly as graft material. They hope to receive an increasing percentage of the bone-bank deposits from such sources in the future.

Father Brands His Son, 24, As Thief in Crowded Courtroom

NEW YORK.—As tears streamed from his eyes, a father stood in a crowded courtroom and pressed a grand larceny charge against his son whom on six previous occasions he had saved from a possible jail sentence by making good on money allegedly stolen by the 24-year-old youth.

The latter, Thomas Sexton, 24, North Bergen, N. J., stole two of his mother's coats, a mink coat valued at \$2,700, the other a \$350 fur jacket. He had been arraigned in felony court as a fugitive from justice and then brought to a higher court for extradition proceedings after his father, William, signed a complaint alleging the theft of his wife's apparel.

Arraigned before Judge John A. Mullen, the youth was said to have been arrested repeatedly since 1941.

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Texas Congressm'n In Discussion at U. of Maryland

Jones County's Congressman Omar Burleson, Democrat of Anson, participated in an open-forum discussion at the University of Maryland last Wednesday under the auspices of the Association of Student Veterans, with Republican Congressman Van Zandt of Pennsylvania and Representative Isaacson, American-Labor Party of New York.

Issues involved were both foreign and domestic. Congressman Burleson, with emphasis on Reciprocal Trade Agreements as related to information trade and world economic recovery. He pointed out that from all indications, the Republicans were employing dilatory tactics to re-enact the 1934 trade barrier removals, bringing back the old question of tariff. He said the extension of our trade agreements was a key to both our domestic welfare and economic recovery in the world at large.

Could Use a Little of That. Husband—"What are you planning to do tonight?" Wife—"Nothing special. I'll probably write a letter or two, listen to the radio and so on." Husband—"When you come to the so on, don't forget my shirt buttons."

present actions of the Republican Congress, deficit financing an very little, in any, retirement of our be legislated by the Federal Government Debt for the coming fiscal year. Van Zandt's reply to "It remains to be seen."

In the forum discussion the question of "Civil Rights" was the first raised by the audience and many questions were fired at Burleson, who had stated that, "We of the South are believers in the fundamental rights of the individual, but we are intelligent enough to know that such asinine issues as segregation of the races, anti-lynch, FEPC and anti-poll tax measures cannot and should not be enacted. We believe these social

Congressman Burleson was the object of attack by Rep. Isaacson for recent statements made by Burleson on the floor of the House re a passport to attend a Communist sympathizers' meeting in Paris. Burleson stated that in his opinion

Internal Revenue Collections Total at Better \$184,000,000

Hamlin area and other Texans paid more than \$184,000,000 in Federal Revenue collection in March, according to reports received early this week by The Herald from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Collections from July to March stepped up 18 per cent above a like period in 1946-1947.

March collections rose 37 per cent above a year earlier. Income taxes from corporations and persons not on withholding status gained 35 per cent and employment taxes more than doubled last year's collections. On the other hand, withholding collections fell 59 per cent from March 1947.

First District, South Texas, marked up a 45 per cent rise over March 1947 collections. Income taxes were up 41 per cent; employment, 57 per cent; and other collections, 127 per cent. During the same period withholding taxes dropped 74 per cent.

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Consumption of Cotton Linters Gains 7%

Texas cotton consumption gained seven per cent according to a report to Herald readers from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, from February to March.

Consumption of cotton linters declined six per cent, however.

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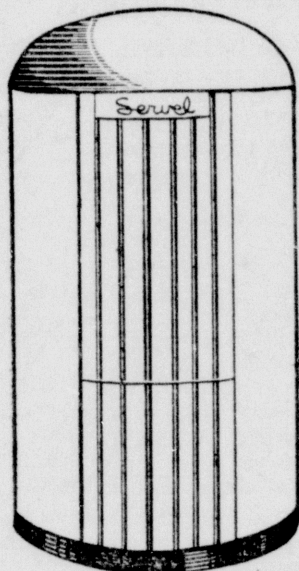
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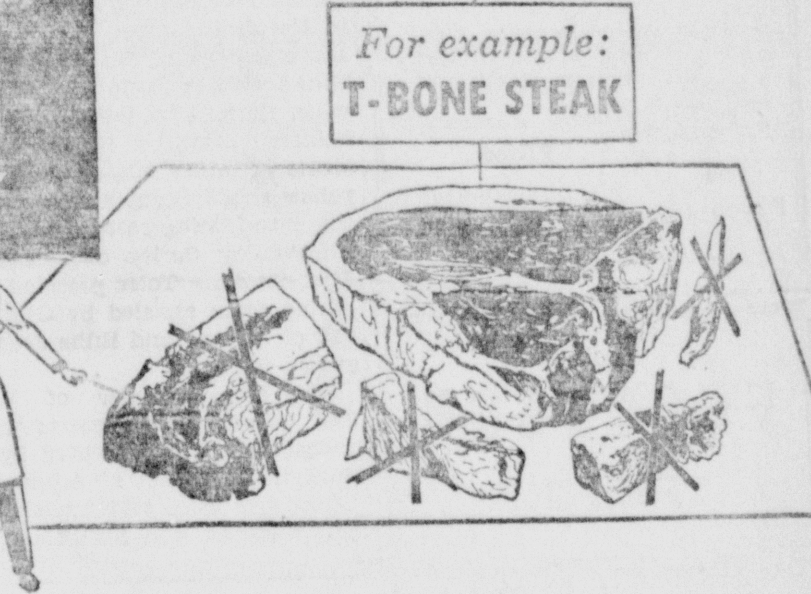
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Friendship HD Club Meets Friday Even'g In Johnson Home

Friendship Home Demonstration Club met Friday at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in the home of Mrs. Robert Johnson. After a short business meeting Miss Loretta Allen, Jones County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on making belts, covering belt buckles and buttons. She also helped each lady present put in a placket zipper.

Members present were: Mmes. Cecil Brown, Ray Johnson, H. E. Brown, Robert Johnson, Ed Rogers, W. J. Kemp, D. C. Rogers, Grady Smith, Wood Smith and Bert Pomby. Visitors were: Mmes. Ed Branson, Homer Neal and Boyd. The next meeting will be held in

Engagemnt Announced at Tea of Diane Carlton to Bennie R. Jones of McCaulley

Engagement and approaching marriage of Diane Carlton to Bennie R. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones of McCaulley, was announced at a tea by the bride elect's mother, Mrs. Buren Carlton in the home of Mrs. J. C. Culbertson Saturday afternoon.

Tiny scrolls engraved in bronze and tied with the bride's chosen colors, red and white, announced the wedding date.

Miss Carlton will become the bride of Mr. Jones in a ceremony to be read at 6:00 o'clock June 3 in the Methodist Church by the pastor, Dr. Will C. House.

Greeting approximately 80 guests was Mrs. W. C. Russell. In the receiving line with the honoree were: Mmes. Joe Culbertson, Carlton, Jones Bill Adams of Odessa, who will be matron of honor, Mrs. W. T. Johnson of Abilene and Miss Bonnie Beth Jones who will serve as bridesmaids.

Mrs. Tate May directed the guests to the dining room, where a lovely arrangement of Shasta daisies, the bride's chosen flowers centered the table, flanked by tall yellow crystal holders. Similar flower arrangements of white Madonna lilies and yellow snapdragons were used in all the entertaining rooms.

Miss Joy Corley of Lamesa and Miss Suzanne Toler presided in the dining room assisted by Gloria Novak of Abilene and Billie Jean Hargus of Bardwell.

Miss Nita Rimmer of Wichita Falls directed the guests to the brides' book presided over by Miss Marilyn Thompson of Anson.

Goodbyes were said by Mrs. Herman McBride and Mrs. Mary Far-

row. Mrs. Bob Nunnaley of Abilene and Mrs. Henry Withers of Rotan very ably played many lovely selections during the calling hours.

Mrs. Tate May Gives Review to Gleasers SS Class Tuesday

Mrs. Tate May gave a book review for the Gleasers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday night in the basement of the Baptist Church. Each member invited a guest.

Those attending were greeted by Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. who directed them to Mrs. Teddy Russell who was in charge of the registrar. Mrs. George Poe lead them to the tea table. Mrs. Bill Sharer and Mrs. Herman Treadwell were serving party sandwiches, punch and mints to the guests from a table laid with a beautiful lace table cloth with crystal appointments, pastel colored flowers and white candles.

Assistants in serving the guests were: Mmes. LaRoy Stubbs, J. E. McCoy, Paul Gentry.

Mrs. Fred B. Moore, president of the class, introduced Mrs. Tate May who reviewed, "The Bishop's Mantle" to about 40 guests, some being from Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd visited their son, Wright Boyd, in Lamesa Sunday.

Sunday guests in the W. L. Boyd home was Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sparkman and baby of Sweetwater.

Dr. Fred Fisher, Bible teacher of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church, Sunday.

Foursquare Society Meets at Parsonage Monday Evening

Foursquare Missionary Society met Monday at the parsonage. The meeting was called to order an opened with prayer led by Zada Garrett. Song was led by Mrs. Hewett and the devotional was brought by Mrs. Zudy Osteen.

Roll call was given by Mrs. Don Jones and business was taken care of. Everyone revealed who their Secret Pal was and gifts were exchanged. Names were drawn for the next month's Secret Pal. A pink and white shower was given to Mrs. Phyllis Jones.

Cold drinks and cookies were served to the following: Lina Scott, Zada Garrett, Mmes. Harvick, Hardy Hewett, Don Jones, R. C. Garrett, Pearl Watson, S. R. Tabb, Zudy Osteen, W. L. Teague, Shirley Riley, Francis Scott and Sam Jones. The meeting was dismissed by Zudy Osteen.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. L. Teague and Zudy Osteen Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McBride were in Fort Worth last week.

WMS Meets for Reg' Lesson Monday

Womans Missionary Society met in its regular monthly mission lesson Monday at the First Baptist Church. The president, Mrs. Joe A. Simpson, was in the chair. Mrs. Delma Shelburne brought the devotional with Mmes. Teddy Russell, W. C. Weir, W. A. Albritton discussing the topics of the day. Laborers together with God in our determination.

Special attention was called to the next Monday program at which time Mrs. W. A. Moore of Abilene, a state WMU worker will teach a soul winning, foreign mission's book.

Juanita Bone to Give Organ Recital for Local Pupils

Juanita Bone, music instructor of Abilene, will present two of her pupils Tuesday evening, May 25, at 8:00 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church. Jere Lynn Irwin will give organ numbers and James Eddie Jay piano numbers.

Ushers will be Robert Angel, Cal Travis, Young, Angela Malouf and

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mixon returned Saturday from Levelland where they had been visiting relatives.

Clarence Bailey of Brayant-Link Company is in Dallas this week in interest of the store.

Mrs. Annie Milsap has returned home after a visit in Abilene.

Nan Shelton. The public is invited to attend.

MISS JUANITA BONE will present her piano pupils in a recital at the Hamlin High School May 27, 1948 at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

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Foursquare Society Programs Given by Class Reporter

Foursquare Missionary Society has been meeting right along but due to the reporter's husband illness The Herald has failed to have several week's previous reports so below they are given.

April 27 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Zada Garrett and prayer was given by Mrs. Don Jones. Devotional was given by Mrs. Jesse Kelly. A bag of oranges and a big box of food was taken to Mrs. Ann Lou Scott, ill in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at that time.

May 3 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Don Jones, Mrs. Jesse Kelly opened the club with a prayer. Devotional was given by Mrs. Watson. Twelve members and two new members were present. Meeting was closed by Rev. Harrell.

May 10 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Evelyn Garrett. Prayer was given by Mrs. Harvick, devotional was given by Mrs. Don Jones. A surprise shower was given for Rev. Harrell, meeting was closed with a prayer by Opal Jones. Coffee and cookies was served to attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Vesta Townley has been transferred to Hamlin from Colorado City. He is employed with the Shell Pipe Line Company.

Jane Adams, a student at Texas Tech, Lubbock spent the week-end with home folks.

the home of Mrs. H. E. Brown this Friday. All members are urged to attend.—Reporter.

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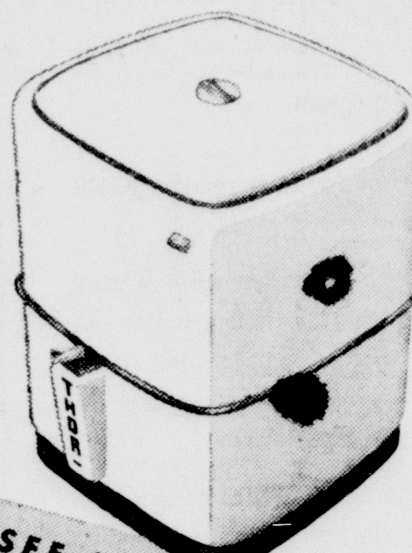


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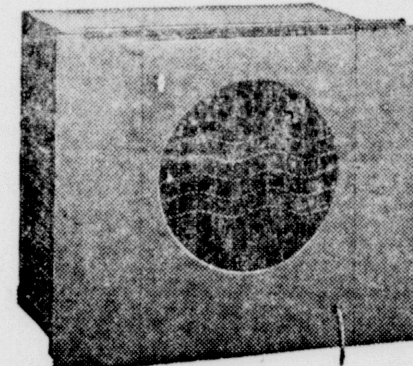
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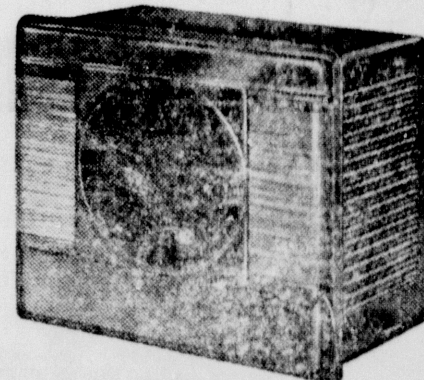
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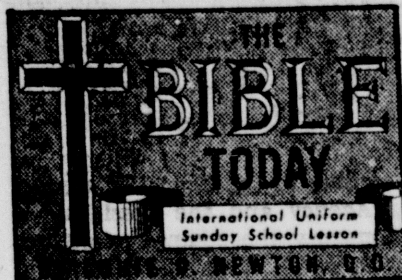
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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 95: 1-7

The Temple in the Nation's Life

Lesson for May 23, 1948

OUR golden text is "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker," Psalms 95:6.



Dr. Newton

The Jewish temple was a national sanctuary, whether we think in terms of the altars of Abel, Noah or Abraham, the tabernacle at Sinai, or the great temples at Mount Moriah, of Solomon, of Zerubbabel, or any of the other appointed places of meeting with God. The welfare of mankind, in every age, requires the faithful and frequent worship of God.

From the days when they sang the hymns of David, the Jews were prosperous to the degree that they were true to God in their worship and in their reverence for all things holy. This lesson traces the story, leaving no doubt in any pupil's mind about the solemn truth of the golden text.

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Boys and girls who regularly attend Sunday school and public worship will be watched by the men who are looking for trustworthy leaders tomorrow.

HONORING GOD'S HOUSE

"SERVE the Lord with gladness, come before his presence with singing," Psalms 100:2.

We read how the people in the long ago brought their best gifts to make God's house beautiful. What are we doing with our best gifts? I think of boys and girls today who are helping with their small gifts to erect and equip beautiful houses of worship. Tomorrow they will point with gratitude and thanksgiving to the part they had in making God's house the best house in the community. Thus do we honor God as we honor his house.

WHY WE GO TO CHURCH

M. R. WANNAMAKER, the merchant prince, was once asked why he went so regularly to church. He replied:

"I go to church for two main reasons. First, because God commands it; second, because it enriches life."

The Jews teach us, in the long record of their faithfulness or unfaithfulness, that the people who go regularly to church are the most dependable people in any community. And we can bring it right down to our day and generation, and get the same answer.

A business man told me recently that he had a check made of the several hundred young people in his employ, and he found that more than ninety per cent of the regular church-goers were advancing in their work with his company. He further discovered that almost without exception, the people who were giving trouble were the people who never entered a church.

OUR NEED OF PUBLIC WORSHIP

OUR bodies require regular nourishment. And our souls are just as dependent upon regular nourishment. I would not say that it is absolutely necessary for one to attend public worship to grow spiritually, but the odds are entirely against those who claim that they can grow spiritually without attending public worship.

There is a place of worship within the reach of well-nigh every person in the United States. We are responsible before God if we neglect to claim the advantages and blessing of public worship.

The place of the temple in the life of Israel is a symbol which teaches us today that we dare not forsake the assembling of ourselves on the Lord's Day in his house. The fellowship of worship is the sweetest fellowship on earth. It is our surest road to peace here and hereafter.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Let Foods Complement Each Other (See Recipes Below)

Balancing Meals

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS most frequently asked by homemakers is, "How can I plan balanced meals?"

Fundamentals of balancing meals are really simple. Take your dinner, for example. Use a serving of potatoes or another starchy food to go with the meat course; add to this one or two vegetables that go nicely with your chosen meat cut. If you have not had a salad for lunch, this may be added to the dinner menu. If you have a heavy meal, use a fruit dessert; if the meal is light and the fruit requirement of the day has been satisfied, serve cake, pastry or cookies.

That is the dinner plan. However, it also is well to bear other points in mind, so that the meal will be pleasing.

First, select foods that have contrast in color, for these will make meals more interesting. We eat with our eyes first and a picture pretty plate certainly will whet the appetite.

Second, serve foods that have contrasting texture. You don't serve boiled potatoes, whitefish and cauliflower at a meal because they all have much the same texture. How much more interesting to serve asparagus with the broiled fish, with crisply fried potatoes.

Third, do have variety. Families have favorite dishes but they won't keep favored rating if they are served several times each week. Prepare everything you serve carefully so the family will learn to enjoy a variety of foods.

DOES YOUR FAMILY enjoy pork chops? Did you know that they could be served with a tomato sauce to add tang to their delicate flavor? Or perhaps you'd like to stuff them with a celery-bread combination, omit potatoes and serve creamed turnips. You always can put your vegetables in the salad and balance the meal that way. Doesn't this meal sound tempting and colorful?

Stuffed Pork Chops Creamed Diced Turnips Asparagus Salad

Here are the recipes for the main dishes in the menu, and you may be certain there won't be any leftovers:

Stuffed Pork Chops

Have the butcher cut a pocket in each of six thick pork chops. Make the dressing as follows: Use 1 cup of bread crumbs and mix with 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 1/2 teaspoon thyme and 1/2 cup celery, cut up and sautéed in 3 tablespoons of fat. Moisten with 1 egg. Fill pork chops. Brown the chops in hot fat, season with a sprinkling of salt and pepper, then cover and bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for one hour.

The turnips are diced and cooked until tender in boiling salted water. Fresh cooked or canned, drained asparagus, well chilled, may be used for the salad. Use a tart dressing.

Use your favorite plain muffin recipe to which grated orange rind has been added.

Here's the luscious dessert recipe:

Banana-Prune Whip (Serves 6)

1/4 cup prune purée
1/3 cup sugar
1 cup thinly sliced bananas
2 egg whites stiffly beaten
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Mix together prune pulp and sugar and cook until the latter is dissolved.

LYNN SAYS:

Plan Colorful Meals With These Hints

A broiled ham slice or ham loaf goes well with buttered rice, sweet potato croquettes, stuffed baked potatoes or broiled potato slices.

Pork roast, either the loin or the shoulder cut, may be prepared with potatoes in one of the following ways: Mashed, browned, buttered, scalloped or baked. Baked squash also may be served in place of the potatoes.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Stuffed Baked Tomatoes
Tossed Green Salad
Sliced Cold Meat
Peach Pie a la Mode
Bread Butter Beverage

solved, then cool. Add bananas mixed with lemon juice. Fold in beaten egg whites. Chill thoroughly. Serve in sherbet dishes garnished with more sliced bananas and cut marshmallow cherries.

NOW LET'S PLAN another menu around an entirely different meat course. This menu has the advantage of limiting cooking to an hour, and most of it can be done in the oven, so that you don't have to watch the proceedings:

Tomato-Herb Soup
Meat Loaf Baked Potatoes
Yellow Wax Beans or Zucchini Squash
Beet Pickles or Tomato Salad
Fresh Fruit Parfait or Apple Raisin Pie

If you choose the squash and pie, these can be baked at the same time as the meat loaf and potatoes.

The soup is made simply by heating canned tomato juice with a few herbs for flavor. If you serve the soup, have the beet pickles in place of the salad.

Easy Meat Loaf (Serves 6)

2/3 cup dry bread crumbs
1 cup milk
1 1/2 pounds ground beef
2 slightly beaten eggs
1/4 cup grated onion
1 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon sage

Soak bread crumbs in milk; add other ingredients and mix well. Form into one loaf or individual loaves to be placed in muffin pans. Cover with piquant sauce and bake in a moderate oven 45 to 60 minutes.

Piquant Sauce: Combine 3 tablespoons brown sugar, 1/4 cup catsup, 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg and 1 teaspoon dry mustard.

Zucchini Squash (Serves 6)

6 medium sized zucchini squash
1 cup soft bread crumbs
1 small onion, grated
1 cup tomato quarters
1 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper
1 egg, beaten
2 tablespoons bacon drippings

Wash squash; cut off ends but do not peel. Cook in boiling salted water for five minutes. Halve lengthwise. Remove pulp and combine all other ingredients with pulp and fill zucchini shells. Sprinkle with American or Parmesan cheese. Bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes.

Fresh Fruit Parfait (Serves 6 to 8)

20 marshmallows
Juice of 1 lemon
1 cup crushed fresh raspberries
1 cup heavy cream whipped

Melt marshmallows in top of double boiler; add lemon juice. Cool slightly, then add berries. Fold in whipped cream; freeze in tray of automatic refrigerator about two hours.

Other parfaits in season: Substitute one cup finely chopped fresh peaches for raspberries.

Strawberry Parfait: Substitute one cup sliced or crushed strawberries for the raspberries in above recipe.

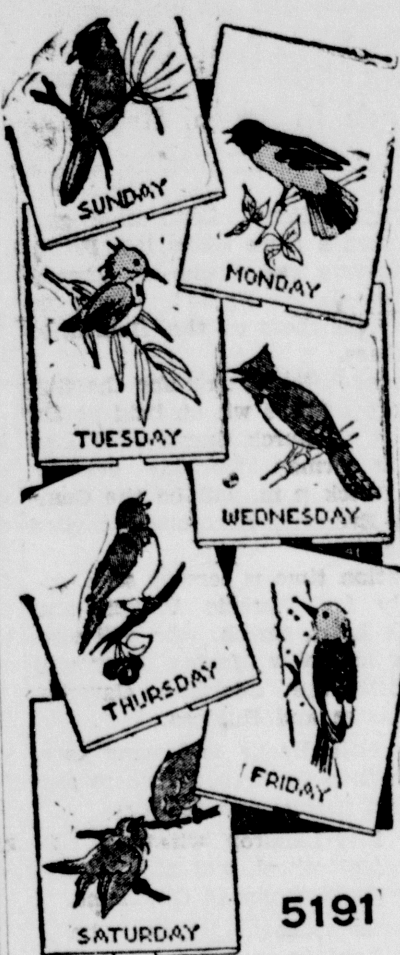
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Certain combinations of food go better than others for a meal, because of flavor and texture contrast. You'll enjoy these easy-to-use go-togethers.

When you serve breast of lamb, surround it with browned potatoes and green lima beans. Add a carrot salad for more interest.

When you have lamb shanks and dumplings, the meal can be rounded out with green beans and glazed carrots. Serve a side dish of apple sauce.

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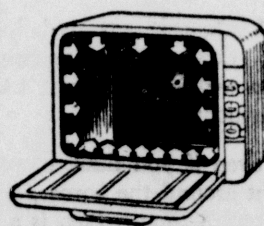
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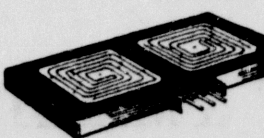
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CURRENT COMMENT

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By LEON GUINN

Military preparation, and especially expanded units of the service, should make a lot of front page news during the next 60 days. . . . With assurance that we will have a two-year selective service law of some type, a three billion dollar rearmament request pending, and aid to Western Europe at the top of the ladder, President Truman will doubtless get what he asks for in the way of having war-time controls gradually restored. . . . Our defense headquarters, for instance, is busy now on detailed surveys of military equipment over the land and just what equipment will be needed overseas before July 1. . . . Recent action in halting War Assets Administration sales of war materials, etc. is an indication that we are fast getting down to bed-rock in formulating a new defense policy.

There has never been any doubt in the minds of people who knew all the facts that oleomargarine had a permanent place on the American table, using as it does vegetable oils, but certain of our congressmen who had buttered toast in mind are now admitting they were too keen when they allowed the margarine tax repeal bill to come to a committee vote. . . . In event these same lawmakers had deferred a show-down they could have killed the measure by "boondoggling" it until the end of the present session of Congress. . . . As the matter now stands the forces for margarine got in enough time to get 218 signatures on a petition to bring the measure to a floor decision this month. . . . Prospects at mid-week indicated a favorable trend toward repealing lock, stock and barrel the oleomargarine tax.

Look for farm income during the first quarter of this year, despite a February decline, to run somewhat higher than for the same period of 1947. . . . This view is advanced by key agricultural economists, who say several factors are keeping farm income above expectations. . . . Given favorable seasons and a good crop year, farmers should realize another profitable harvest this fall, and as long thereafter as we continue to ship food and materials to Europe. . . . Land prices are holding exceptionally firm, and although many offices are overloaded with real estate, offerings at this time of the year, there is no basis for a belief real estate values will drop anyway soon.

Now that Congress is getting "on the ball" to really provide an increase in our armed forces it may be well to note that many of our military strategists are stressing the urgent need for island bases—man carved and natural—in our new blueprint of global defense. . . . Such island bases would, in reality, form a chain of radar warning network around the United States for advance guard interception of guided missiles. . . . It is significant to note that some plans now underway call for rockets with a minimum of a 3,000-mile range. . . . One new guided missile up our sleeve may exceed the goal of 3,000 miles and be accurate to within a hair's breadth, as some observers relate. . . . Radar, by the way, provides the most sensitive means of early warning and intercepting rockets man has yet devised.

It is an interesting fact to note that 1,000,000 more women are now at work than a year ago. . . . Reports from labor offices show, in fact, that women account for nearly all the increase in the labor force since last fall. . . . The government regards such employment as a harbinger that high prices have forced the women folks into jobs of first one kind and another to make ends meet in this year of readjustment. . . . Incidentally, a wider employment of women has brought grief to beauty shop operators, shampoo makers, etc., since a boom has developed in home permanent wave kits. . . . These kits, nationally advertised, have been sold in virtually every state of the union, and have given women a keen insight into their beauty possibilities.

Congressional opinion seems to be settling down this week to the idea of adequate air power, plus conscription as a means of keeping America safe from attack during the next 12 months. . . . Universal military training does not have as bright a future as it did three weeks ago, when the war of nerves in Berlin reached a high pitch. . . . Congress intends to push through a good national defense program, and even though the final version will differ from President Truman's program, Truman and his aides will almost be compelled to accept the defense set

Are We to Have Depression?

The following is a current advertisement of Warner & Swasey Machine Tools, Cleveland, Ohio. It packs so many truths and facts, The Herald wants to pass it on to its readers:

When prices get so high in relation to values that people can no longer pay them, buyers stop buying—and a depression is on. Therefore, every act of every American which increases prices without equally increasing values is making a depression that much more certain:

Every manufacturer who tries to operate with old equipment, which means high costs.

Every workman who demands and gets more pay without increasing his production to earn it.

Every manager who is more interested in his profit record than in his value record.

Every labor leader who keeps himself in power by demanding more and more from business and who lacks the courage and honesty to tell his men they must earn what they get.

Every government official who fights against reductions in his swollen department—reductions which would mean savings and so cut taxes and the staggering debt.

These are the people whose selfishness is hurdling us toward a depression. There is still time to stop it. But it can only be done if every single American has the courage and the common sense to start now to give full value for every penny he gets.

What Our Exchanges Say----

NEGRO PROPAGANDA

Is the negro race really being held down as per the oft-repeated assertions of the Association for the Advancement of the Negro Race? The negro began to be brought to America, against his will, and as a slave some 200 years ago. They were brought over in foreign ships and sold to Southern white planters. Some 85 years ago, these slaves were freed by the proclamation of President Lincoln.

Where this race came from, most of the time for 1,000 years or more, they have had their own tribal government. They are still barely out of a state of savagery.

On the other hand, the "held down" race in the U. S. A., and even in the South, are moderately well educated and informed. Many of them own good farms, some have good comfortable homes in towns and cities. Many have good jobs, and are in comfortable circumstances. They have their public supported schools and the churches of their own choice. They have begun to build hospitals and orphanages. To be perfectly clear, they are hundreds of years ahead of their own race in Africa, where they "are not held down."

This comparison makes the wild assertions of the Advancement Association look silly. And, to top it all, there is not a negro in the United States that has the least idea of ever returning to his native shores to live unless as a missionary. So, unless we get some better reasons from this CIO-PAC organization to stir up trouble between whites and blacks in the South, that the colored folks are being "held down," we shall have to conclude that it is some scheme to feather someone's nest.—Terry County Herald.

WE MAY HAVE TO TAKE SPAIN BACK

Spain and her dictator, Generalissimo Franco, who have been kept in international Coventry, may yet have to be accepted back into the good graces of her neighbors. Nobody in the western democracies has any particular love for Franco, but the force of circumstances is pushing him closer to our camp.

It would be a great help for the Marshall Plan if Spain could take part in Europe's rehabilitation. Spain has many resources to contribute and she has them close at hand. In addition Spain is probably safer from Communism's disruptive tactics than any nation on the continent and she will stay that way as long as Franco is in the saddle.

So far there is no question of Spain sharing in the Marshall Plan and neither the United States nor Britain has retreated from their position of no compromise with Franco. But there are subtle changes in the attitude toward Spain, such as re-opening of the Franco-Spanish frontier. Soon the nations of Western Europe may be making other overtures.

Any friendly gestures toward Spain will inevitably bring screams of protests from Communists everywhere. If the Canadian comrades start yammering about Franco's record as a dictator we will have to remind them that their own boss is the biggest dictator yet.—Vancouver (B. C.) Daily Province.

Heligoland, an island in the North Sea, was bought by Germany from England before the First World War and turned into an immense fortification and naval base.

Sylvester News

Wanda L. Smith, Reporting

Sylvester Home Economics girls presented a Style Show last Friday and feature was an one-act comedy, "Society Rides Again". Cast included members of the Homemaking Class.

Baccalaureate sermon for the Sylvester graduates will be held at the Methodist Church Sunday. Following the sermon Thursday evening, 8:00 o'clock p. m. will be the Commencement Exercises. Everyone is invited to attend.

Vacation time is coming soon, especially for Tommie Francis and Wanda Leigh Smith, who will visit in Roswell, New Mexico. They will also visit the Carlsbad Caverns, Pine Lodge and Ruidosa.

Miss Rita Beane is leaving soon for her trip to Houston where she will visit friends and relatives.

Billy Ray Landrop, who is to enter medical school, will soon be returning to his home in Oklahoma.

Sylvester School faculty have worked hard to make our school a success, let's hope that we can welcome them back for the next school term.

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Grains Show Weaker Spots in Mainly Steady Southwest Farm Market Report

Grains and vegetables furnished firm. Major weak spots in mainly steady to strong Southwest farm markets during the past week, according to a report Monday to The Herald from the United States Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Yellow corn closed Monday a nickel higher than a week earlier, but other grains netted losses from a quarter cent on wheat to 4¢ on oats and 8¢ on barley. No. 1 hard ordinary wheat sold around \$2.52 1-2 in bulk carlots at Texas common points. No. 2 grade white corn brought about \$2.77, yellow \$2.53 1/2 and oats \$1.30 1-4 to \$1.34.

New crop alfalfa meal supplies exceeded demand, but other feeds remained about steady. Old crop hay attracted only narrow demand, as the new harvest advanced as far north as Kansas. Good rains spurred peanut planting.

Eggs and poultry continued fairly steady. Eggs sold generally at the support levels of 35 cents a dozen at the farm or 37 cents delivered to drying plants. Heavy hens ranged from 24 to 28 cents a pound at Dallas and Fort Worth and 32 to 33 at New Orleans. Fryers sold mainly from 38 to 42 cents in the Southwest.

Hogs advanced 50 cents to \$1 in Texas and Oklahoma and \$1 to \$2 at other Southwest terminals. The prices ranged from \$21.50 to \$23. on good and choice medium weight butchers. Sows brought \$16 to \$17-50 in Texas and \$13 to \$15 elsewhere.

Cattle scored gains of mostly 50 cents to \$1. Denver reached new all-time high levels on both steers and heifers, as choice steers sold at \$32 to \$33.50 Monday and good and choice heifers \$30 to \$31.50. Good and choice fed steers bulked at \$30-50 to \$33 at Kansas City and good light steers reached \$30.50 at Wichita. Oklahoma City paid \$32 for top choice fed steers, a new high for recent months. Medium and good steers, yearlings and heifers drew \$24 to \$29.50 at Texas markets.

Southwest sheep markets paid record high prices for reduced lamb marketings. New highs on spring lambs included \$28.50 paid at Fort Worth, \$29 at Oklahoma City, and \$31 at Kansas City. New high or shorn lambs was \$27.50 at Fort Worth and \$28.25 at Kansas City. Woolled lambs made a new high of \$28 at Denver and at Kansas City.

Country wool markets enjoyed a flurry of trading and prices held

High Public Demand For RA Still Huge, President Declares

According to the local Railway Express Agency and the president of the company the company had not been officially consulted about any proposed change in its status as an express carrier, as recently reported in the press. Nor had any studies of its package traffic, properties or other services been made to justify a statement.

It was pointed out that in 1947 the customers of the company paid \$442,000,000 for transporting 193,000,000 express shipments.

"This is incontrovertible evidence of the huge public demand and the need for complete transportation service which the RA is providing," Head, president continued, and it will undoubtedly take more than an expression of opinion to do away with that need."

If, as claimed, the handling of small package traffic by express is uneconomical to the taxpayer, who is already paying the heavy annual loss sustained in parcel post service to which it has been suggested a certain part of the traffic now being handled by Railway Express Agency be diverted.

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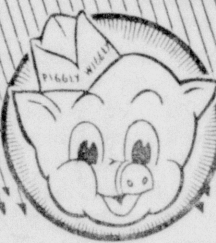
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will be held in the City of Hamlin,
Texas, on the 9th day of June, 1948,
to determine whether or not the
City Council of said City shall
be authorized to issue the bonds of
said City in the following amounts
and for the following purposes, to-
wit:

\$80,000.00 general obligation
tax bonds for the purpose
of constructing repairs, ex-
tensions and improvements to
the Water System owned
and operated by said City;
and

\$45,000.00 general obligation
tax bonds for the purpose of
constructing repairs, ex-
tensions and improvements to
the Sanitary Sewer System
owned and operated by said
City;

and which election was duly called
and ordered by the order of the City
Council of said City, passed on the
17th day of May, 1948, and which
election order is made a part of this
Notice, and is in words and figures
as follows, to-wit:

ELECTION ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HAMLIN
COUNTY OF JONES

ON THIS the 17th day of May,
1948, the City Council of the City of
Hamlin, Texas, convened in regular
session at the regular meeting place
thereof in the City Hall, there being
present and in attendance the fol-
lowing members, to-wit:

Holly Toler, Mayor,
B. M. Brundage,
Arlie Cassie,
Clyde Huff,
O. D. Roland, Aldermen,

and with the following members ab-
sent: I. R. Witt, constituting a
quorum; when, among other pro-
ceedings had, were the following:

Alderman B. M. Brundage in-
troduced an order and moved its
adoption. The motion was seconded
by Alderman Clyde Huff. The mo-
tion, carrying with it the adoption
of the order, prevailed by the fol-
lowing vote:

AYES: Aldermen Brundage,
Huff, Cassie and Roland.
NOES: None.

The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, the City Council of
the City of Hamlin, Texas, deems
it advisable to issue the bonds of
said City for the purposes hereinaf-
ter mentioned; therefore,

BE IT ORDERED BY THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
HAMLIN, TEXAS:

I.
That an election be held on the
9th day of June, 1948, which date is

not less than fifteen (15) nor more
than thirty (30) days from the date
of the adoption of this order, at
which election the following propo-
sitions shall be submitted to the
qualified electors who own taxable
property in said City and who have
duly rendered the same for taxa-
tion:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1
"SHALL the City Council of
the City of Hamlin, Texas, be au-
thorized to issue the general obligation
tax bonds of said City, not to ex-
ceed the principal sum of Eighty
Thousand DOLLARS (\$80,000.00),
maturing serially over a period of
years not to exceed thirty-five (35)
years from the date thereof, bear-
ing interest at a rate not to exceed
FOUR AND ONE-HALF PER CEN-
TUM (4½ per cent) per annum, for
the purpose of constructing repairs,
extensions and improvements to the
Water System owned and operated
by said City; and to provide for the
payment of principal of and interest
on said bonds by levying a tax suf-
ficient to pay the annual interest
and to create a sinking fund suffi-
cient to redeem said bonds as they
become due?"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2
"SHALL the City Council of the
City of Hamlin, Texas, be author-
ized to issue the general obligation tax
bonds of said City, not to exceed the
principal sum of Forty-five Thou-
sand DOLLARS (\$45,000.00), matu-
ring serially over a period of years
not to exceed thirty-five (35) years
from the date thereof, bearing in-
terest at a rate not to exceed FOUR
AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (4½
per cent) per annum, for the pur-
pose of constructing repairs ex-
tensions and improvements to the
Sanitary Sewer System owned and
operated by said City; and to pro-
vide for the payment of principal
of and interest on said bonds by
levying a tax sufficient to pay the
annual interest and to create a sink-
ing fund sufficient to redeem said
bonds as they become due?"

II.
That the City of Hamlin, Texas,
constituting but one election pre-
cinct, said election shall be held at
the City Hall in the City of Hamlin,
Texas, and the following named per-
sons are hereby appointed officers
of the election, to-wit:

C. G. Green, Presiding Judge,
Mrs. C. C. Proctor, Judge,
Mrs. Lewis Madden, Clerk,
Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, Clerk,

III.
That said election shall be held
under the provisions of and in ac-
cordance with the laws governing
the issuance of bonds in Cities, as
provided in the General Laws of the
State of Texas, and only resident,
qualified taxpayers, who own
taxable property in the City and
who have duly rendered the same
for taxation, shall be qualified to
vote.

IV.
That the ballots of said election
shall have written or printed there-
on the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
"FOR THE ISSUANCE
OF WATER SYSTEM
IMPROVEMENT
BONDS AND THE
LEVY OF A TAX IN
PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

LEVY OF A TAX IN
PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"AGAINST THE IS-
SUANCE OF WATER
SYSTEM IMPROVE-
MENT BONDS AND
THE LEVY OF A TAX
IN PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"FOR THE ISSUANCE
OF SEWER SYSTEM
IMPROVEMENT
BONDS AND THE
LEVY OF A TAX IN
PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"AGAINST THE IS-
SUANCE OF SEWER
SYSTEM IMPROVE-
MENT BONDS AND
THE LEVY OF A TAX
IN PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

Each voter shall mark out with
black ink or black pencil one of the
above expressions thus leaving the
other as indicating his or her vote
on the proposition.

V.
That a copy of this order, sign-
ed by the Mayor of said City and at-
tested by the City Secretary, shall
serve as proper notice of said elec-
tion.

VI.
That said notice of election
shall be given by posting and pub-
lication of a copy of this order, at
the top of which shall appear the
words, "NOTICE OF ELECTION
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS." The
City of Hamlin, Texas shall
constitute one election precinct.
Said notice shall be posted in three
public places in the City of Hamlin,
one of which shall be at the City
Hall, not less than fourteen (14)
days prior to the date on which
said election is to be held, and be
published on the same day
in each of two successive weeks

Carloadings of Santa Fe Show Upward Trend

Santa Fe System carloadings for
the week ending May 15 were 26-
276 as compared with 23,905 for the
same week in 1947.

Cars received from connections
totalled 10,246 as compared with 10-
127 for the same week in 1947.

Total cars moved were 36,522 as
compared with 34,032 for the same
week in 1947.

Santa Fe handled a total of 39-
706 cars in preceding week of this
year.

Benjamin Franklin founded the
Saturday Evening Post.

in a newspaper of general circula-
tion published in the City of Ham-
lin, Texas, the first of said publica-
tions to be made not less than
fourteen (14) days prior to the date
set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED,
this 17th day of May, 1948.

(Signed) Holly Toler
Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas

(Signed) Mrs. H. M. Barrow
City Secretary, City of Hamlin, Tex-
as.

(City Seal)
THIS NOTICE of election is
issued and given by the undersigned,
pursuant to authority conferred by
virtue of the above and foregoing
order of the City Council of the City
of Hamlin, Texas, and under
authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND
SEAL OF THE CITY OF HAMLIN,
TEXAS, this 17th day of May,
1948.

(Signed) Holly Toler
Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas

(Signed) Mrs. H. M. Barrow
City Secretary, City of Hamlin, Tex-
as.

(City Seal)

Local News:

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore at-
tended a grain convention in Fort
Worth last week.

Professor W. A. Stephenson and
family of Abilene spent Sunday
visiting his mother, Mrs. Etta
Stephenson here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McBride
spent last week attending a Grain
Convention in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbert of
Abilene spent the week-end visit-
ing in Hamlin.

Mrs. Lester Morton spent Mon-
day in Abilene visiting her rela-
tives.

J. H. Chambers of Cisco spent
Wednesday in Hamlin visiting
friends.

Truett May of Washington, D. C.
is here to be with his father, M.
P. May, who is seriously ill.

Rev. Alice Harrell has gone to
see her mother and father, Mr. and
Mrs. Killebrew, who live in Jackson,
Mississippi. She has planned to
stay for two weeks and rest.

Had Him All Wrong.

It was one of mother's most hectic
days. Her small son, who had been
playing outside, came in with his
pants torn.

"You go right in, remove your
pants, and mend them yourself."

Some time later she went to see
how he was getting along. The torn
pants were lying on the chair. The
door to the cellar, usually closed,
was open, and she called down loud-
ly and sternly:

"Are you running around down
there without your pants on?"
"No, madam, I am reading the
gas meter," came the voice of the
gas man.

Feeling at Home.

A man was looking for a good
church to attend and happened into
a small one in which the congrega-
tion were reading with the min-
ister. They were saying:

"We have left undone those things
which we ought to have done, and
we have done those things which we
ought not to have done."

The man dropped into a seat and

Funeral Services for John N. Wishert Held at McCaulley

Funeral services were held Sun-
day, May 16, for John N. Wishert,
69, who passed away in the Ro-
tan hospital May 15.

Wishert was a prosperous farm-
er having spent 41 years farming
in Fisher County. He united with
the Missionary Baptist Church at
McCaulley in 1940.

Rev. C. E. Dick, pastor of the
local Baptist Church in McCaulley
officiated. Burial was in the
McCaulley Cemetery under the di-
rection of Barrow Funeral Home.

Survivors are the widow, son,
John Jr. of Rule; Mrs. Mildred
Latham Stamford; Mrs. J. C.
Jones, Slaton and Verna Lee of
Abilene; Alfred of McCaulley; one
sister, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Plainview.

a brother, (Noah Wishert of Mc-
Caulley and six grandchildren.

W. H. EYSEN JR

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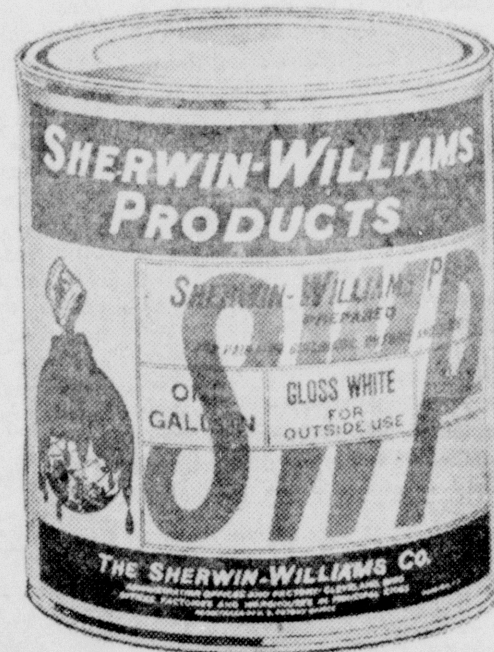
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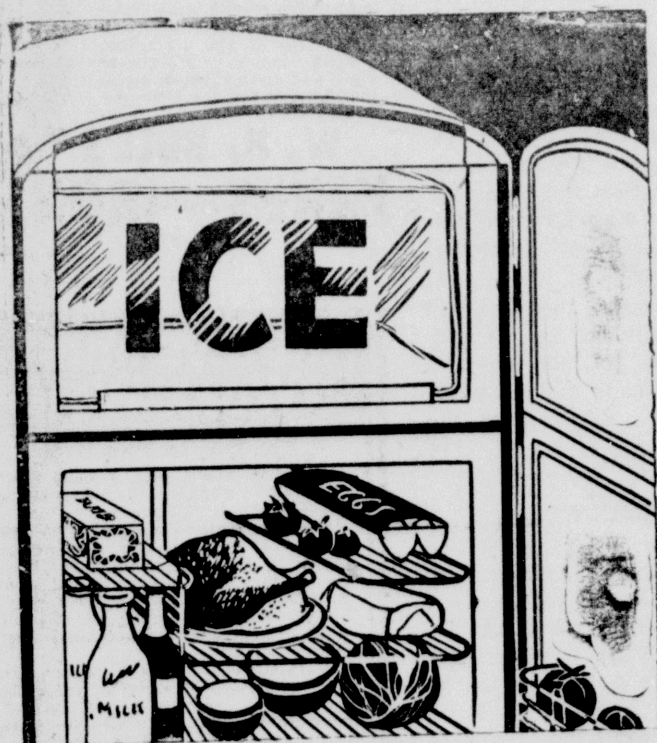
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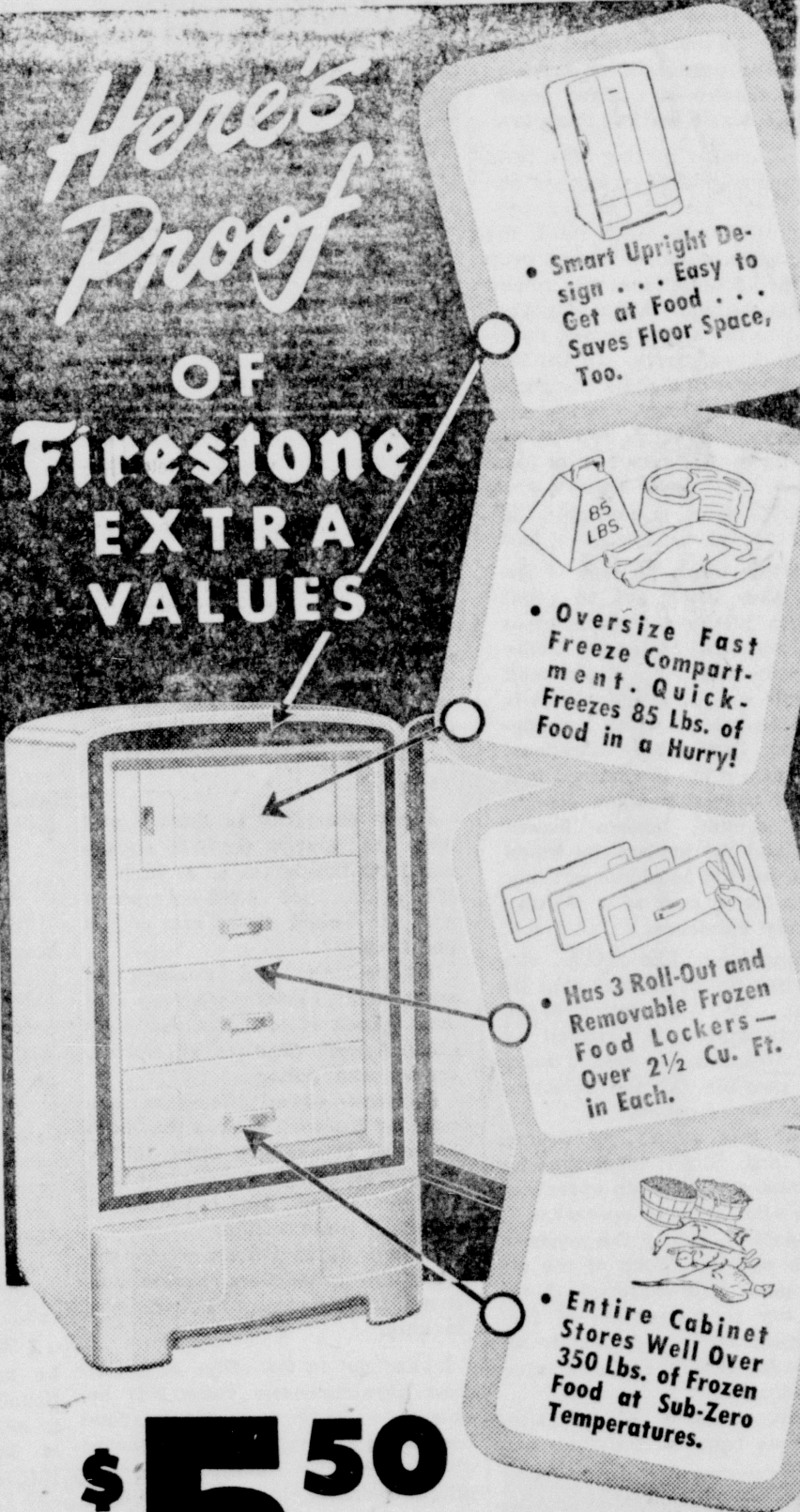
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

House Group Approves Measure To Draft Men into Armed Forces; Hope for Palestine Agreement Ebbs

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

DRAFT BILL: On the Way

Yielding to the pressure of the times, congress was putting its hand gingerly to the business of passing a selective service act which would give the nation's armed forces a total manpower of slightly more than two million in two years.

The house armed services committee had approved the measure, after hearing Defense Secretary James Forrestal term it an "excellent" one, and passed it on to the floor of the house for debate.

Thus, for the first time since before the war, congress was facing squarely the momentous issue of a national draft. That this was happening during the hair-trigger days of an election year only served to underline the apparent urgency of the matter.

As approved by the armed services committee, the bill would:

1. Raise total authorized manpower of the armed forces to 2,005,882—army 837,000, air force 502,000, navy and marine corps 666,882.
2. Require registration of men from 18 through 30, with those from 19 through 25 liable for two years' service.
3. Exempt most veterans from further service, but those under 31 would have to register.
4. Allow seizure of industrial plants by the government if they refused to give top priorities to armament orders.

As it stood, the draft plan was conceded to have a good chance of passage at this session of congress. But complications were being threatened by the senate armed services committee which seemed inclined to combine a universal military training measure with the draft bill.

The committee was waiting for Army Secretary Kenneth Royall to recommend details of a bill to call 161,000 18-year-olds for a year's training. They would be taken in addition to men procured through the draft.

As a combination, that didn't look so good to many Republicans. Rep. Walter G. Andrews (Rep., N. Y.), chairman of the house armed services committee, called the idea "utterly foolish, inconceivable and not called for."

OLEO TAX: Fight Ahead

One of the most pressing problems members of congress have had to decide this year is whether their political bread is spread with butter or oleomargarine.

It is further complicated by the fact that they might, in choosing one or the other, be letting the gravy get away from them.

For good or ill, however, the house of representatives made its decision. It passed by a vote of 260 to 106 a bill to repeal all federal oleomargarine taxes which have been on the books for 62 years.

Those taxes are itemized as follows: 10 cents a pound on colored oleo, 1/4 cent a pound on uncolored, \$600 a year on manufacturers, \$480 on wholesalers of colored oleo, \$200 on wholesalers of the uncolored product, \$48 on retailers of colored oleo and \$6 on retailers of uncolored.

Even if the federal taxes were repealed, it still would be against the law to sell colored oleo in 20 states.

Nevertheless, the house had rid itself of the matter and now it was up to the senate, where a battle royal was in prospect.

Reason the oleo tax issue has a stiff fight ahead in the senate is that senators are elected by voters of entire states, rather than by voters of districts within the states as are most representatives.

The result, in this case, is a split in the sentiment of constituents of many senators.

For example, big northern states such as Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Ohio, are composed of consumer cities and producer farms. The country districts include dairy farmers and soy bean growers. Consumers in cities want repeal of the taxes, and so do the soy bean men whose product is used in manufacture of oleo. The dairy farmers, naturally, want the tax to remain.

The dairy interests are strong. Their supporters in congress have been able to retain the oleo tax by the simple process of shelving any repeal bills in committee. It happened to the current bill in the house agricultural committee, but a petition circulated among house members forced the bill on to the floor where it was approved.

? Current Events ?

Anyone who can answer all five of the following questions may consider himself an expert. It doesn't make any difference what kind of expert. It's enough just to be one without going into boring detail about it.

1. Trans-Jordan is playing a key role in the Palestine situation. How long has it been an independent state?

2. State department is considering some form of military lend-lease for the five nations which signed the Brussels pact. When did lend-lease begin and when was it terminated?

3. Do you know about how many of America's 542,000 troops now are serving outside the U. S.: (a) 358,000; (b) 258,000; (c) 158,000; (d) 58,000?

4. Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio is seeking Republican presidential nomination. There have been seven Ohio-born Presidents. Name them.

5. Bureau of labor statistics reported that the consumer price index declined from 168.8 in January to 166.9 in March. What event took place in mid-February that was a factor in the decline?

ANSWERS

1. A little over two years. In March, 1946, under a treaty with Great Britain, Trans-Jordan became a sovereign independent state.
2. President Roosevelt signed the lend-lease bill on March 11, 1941. It was terminated by President Truman as of August 22, 1945.
3. (a) 358,000.
4. U. S. Grant, Rutherford B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley, William Howard Taft, Warren G. Harding. All were Republicans.
5. The break in the grain market.

BIG PLANES: Russian

Russia put some big four-engined planes into the air over Moscow for the annual Soviet May Day parade and managed thereby to instill a modicum of uneasiness in the hearts of U. S. military experts.

At last reports they were awaiting more detailed reports of the planes from U. S. observers in order to gain, if possible, a new insight into Soviet airborne army equipment.

It is likely, the experts thought, that at least some of the planes were the Soviet TU-70, an aircraft bearing close resemblance to the American B-29. Assumption has been that the Russians copied many of the features of the five B-29s known to have been forced down in Soviet-controlled areas during the war.

Reported to be a hybrid transport-bomber, the TU-70 has a passenger capacity of 72. This probably could be increased substantially, however, if the plane were used strictly as a troop carrier.

THE BREAK: Colombia

Not quite a month after the abortive revolution in April swept the capital city of Bogota into turmoil and caused damage throughout the republic, the government of Colombia formally severed diplomatic relations with Russia.

That the break was a direct result of the revolt, reportedly Communist-led and inspired, no one bothered to deny.

Officially, however, no mention was made of the uprising. Foreign Minister Eduardo Angel's note to the Russian charge d'affaires said simply that Colombia considered that there were no ties which warranted a continuation of diplomatic and consular relations between the two countries.

In concordance with the diplomatic action the Colombian government began to redeploy its troops and reorganize administrative machinery to strengthen its hold and prevent further outbreaks by Communists.

Object Lesson



Just to prove that the old green-back ain't what it used to be, Rep. Helen Gahagan Douglas (Dem., Calif.) purchased \$17.36 worth of groceries and toted the slim load onto the house floor to show her colleagues how prices have inflated since OPA controls expired in 1946. Mrs. Douglas has introduced a price control resolution in the house.

Glimmer, Glimmer

Science's long search to discover how the firefly is able to light up has been advanced another step as a result of new experiments.

Dr. Robert D. McElroy, John Hopkins university biologist, reported to the National Academy of Sciences that the lightning bug derives its power of self-luminosity from the same chemical energy that humans use in moving the muscles of their bodies.

Washington Digest

Voluntary Help Can Save Europe's Dying Children

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON—What to do until the doctor comes.

Pretty important to know that. Pretty important to be willing and able to do it. There are 230 million children in this world today who need first aid. The European recovery plan (E.C.A.) will help a lot of these children who have the stamina to outlive the ugly interim period when, dirty, almost naked, they must roam the countryside or live in cellars and hovels, hungry or starving.

But the E.C.A. is a huge undertaking, and like all great bodies, it moves slowly.



Anyhow, its chief purpose is to provide the means to restore normal conditions to the stricken areas of Europe. It is largely indirect aid, not gauged to individual cases.

Meanwhile thousands upon thousands of these children will die. Some will be saved by individual help—your help. To make that help effective the many humanitarian organizations which seek to save as many young lives as possible have been merged into one great Crusade for Children. Local groups are organizing in the cities. In the rural districts, the Farm Grange, Farm Bureau federation, Farmers' Union, Council for Farm Cooperatives, U.S. department of agriculture and other groups are furthering the movement.

To anyone who has seen this tortured young generation, the effect is as staggering as the sight of a battlefield. To a young soldier, there is no shock like the sight of your first dead comrade. That still form, wearing the same uniform you wear, lying crushed against the earth. To me, the shock of the sight of European children moving with the shadow of a living death upon them was a terrible thing too.

I can remember getting off a train in what once had been one of the great railway stations of Europe—rubble ground into black mud, the ghastly smell of those buried deep under the foundations of ruined homes and shelters. Military police, hardened to the sights around them, walked back and forth. In the sinister shadows of the ruins the ghostly movement of little wraiths slipping in and out of sight, bent on any mission, no matter how fair or foul, that would win some chocolate, a piece of K-ration, a cigarette that might be traded for some bit of food.

No matter what the sins of the fathers, they could not be great enough to justify the punishment inflicted on these children. There is only one way their bodies and their souls can be saved. That is through the groups which are supported by individual donations, until economic life is restored to a degree of normalcy when society can be rebuilt, broken homes mended and the institutions which can care for the homeless put into operation as a part of a healthy community existence.

Government aid, like E.C.A., cannot establish direct contact with the individual. It is a matter of arrangements drawn up between nations. It means dollar credits which make it possible for the receiving nations to buy supplies.

Some of this money, of course, goes into food. But it takes time for the machinery to get into operation, and even after it is in operation, it is inadequate to satisfy the needs of the whole people. Much of the assistance goes into material things such as the reconstruction of factories, replacement and modernization of tools, machinery and agricultural supplies.

Frequently, supplies of such simple things as rakes and shovels are



This tiny child, long in need of medical aid, is now in a hospital supported by the U.N. International Children's Emergency Fund. Funds are being raised through the Crusade for Children of American Overseas Aid-United Nations Appeal for Children.

so short that farms can't be worked until they are furnished. Later they will be manufactured. But that means machinery for the factories comes first.

Crusade for Children is a well-organized private effort which has the backing and cooperation of the United Nations, and the sponsorship and approval of the government from the President down.

It provides direct citizen-to-citizen aid which is administered carefully with experienced personnel on the scene—personnel which cuts red tape and is free from many of the rules, regulations and restrictions which a government necessarily must employ. As a matter of fact, when the European recovery plan was first drawn up, it was contemplated that voluntary private aid would supplement it.

As an example of the type of thing Crusade for Children is designed to further: In Europe at present, there are some 50,000 distributing points, such as schools, child clinics and hospitals serviced by the International Children's Emergency Fund of the United Nations.

At schools and child centers, particularly through dried milk, ICEF makes a supplementary contribution to the noon meal, which costs the fund about three and a half cents per child. The entire meal



An Austrian orphan waits on snow-covered steps for the daily meal provided for him by the United Nations' International Children's Emergency Fund. He is one of millions who would starve without this vital service.

costs only seven cents per child. One hundred dollars provides 7,500 hungry, undernourished children one glass of milk each at every meal. But because of limited funds, ICEF is feeding only four million of Europe's 30 million hungry children.

Here are some of the sickening facts, carefully collected and checked by United Nations authorities:

Infant mortality in Europe and Asia has jumped from 40 deaths per 1,000 live births to as high as 330 deaths per 1,000—compared with the United States rate of 38.3 per 1,000.

Tuberculosis has doubled in many areas, especially among children. Lack of food has vastly increased such diseases as rickets, scurvy and pellagra.

Physical examinations in one zone (of Europe) showed that boys 14 years of age are three inches shorter than boys of the same age four years ago. This is the direct result of malnutrition.

In some areas half the physicians were killed; teachers, nurses and those trained in child care are lacking.

I have sat in the office of a German physician—one room left livable in a bombed house, windows boarded up to replace the smashed glass, operating room, consultation office, bedroom, living room, all together with an endless line of patients with nothing to pay for the doctor's services which would buy anything for the doctor. That doctor told me that because of the hopeless fate of children, abortions were the rule rather than the exception, with sickness and death as the result.

Not the government, but private, voluntary agencies can alleviate these conditions. One may feel that Europe has brought much of its anguish upon itself, but it is not the children who are to blame. As Secretary of State Marshall said: "Voluntary aid supplements the general relief which only governments can provide. It affords the things and services, including spiritual comfort, needed by the weakest of the war victims."

Secretary of State Marshall has warned South American countries that there will be no Marshall Plan for them. It appears that they either must go out and obtain private financing or work up a good Communist threat to share in Uncle Sam's largesse.

A modern president spends more effort trying to get what he wants into the papers and on the air than in finding out what's there already.



YOUNGSTERS WHO would like to make good money a few years from now, and not work too hard, should start throwing baseballs at various targets.

The N.P. (slang for National Pastime) is running out of pitchers. The N.P. needs more than double its present allotment of right or left arms that can get the ball over the plate with enough stuff to baff the batter now and then.

Last year, for example, the Dodgers were good enough to win a pennant with a pitching staff composed of three or four-inning hurlers. They usually needed four or five pitchers to finish out one game. Yet they won a pennant.

The American league had only eight or 10 pitchers who were able to finish games. Both leagues were shy of arms that could locate a plate or go the distance.

Old-time pitchers such as Ed Walsh, Walter Johnson, Christy Mathewson, Pete Alexander and Cy Young could individually outpitch the greater part of an entire modern staff.

Bob Feller could and can handle his share of work. So can Hal Newhouser, Ewell Blackwell and Warren Spahn.

Few pitchers today can work 250 innings in a season. Johnson, Walsh and other old-timers were pitching more than 400 innings a year. Any pitcher who can't work 250 innings shouldn't be listed as a starting pitcher. He is certainly no part of a regular. Yet, few pitchers now getting relieved around the fourth inning could think of working 200 innings without an attack of palsy.

Hurlers Pitch Less Today

Feller—Newhouser—Blackwell—Dickson—Munger—Marchildon—there wasn't a pitcher in the American league last season who worked 300 innings. Feller and Newhouser were the closest.

There wasn't a pitcher in the National league who worked 300 innings. Spahn, Blackwell and Branca were the closest—around 280. Today, someone you'd rate as an average good pitcher works in less than 200 innings—say 180.

The decline in pitching—old-fashioned pitching—has been startling. This means in games pitched—in games finished—in innings pitched—in bases on balls in games won (from 30 to 41 a season).

Walsh worked in 67 games one season—winning 40 and saving 12 others. Today the pitcher who can go nine innings without being removed is a local hero.

This is why we advise all kids to start throwing. You won't have to be too good. The pitchers we rate as real pitchers this season are Blackwell, Feller, Newhouser, Spahn, Dickson, Breechen and possibly Munger, Trout, Houtteman and one or two from Connie Mack's Athletic group; very likely Brissie; he may be the best.

A Championship Score

The finest championship golf score of the year to date was Claude Harmon's 279 at the Augusta National's Masters show. It was better than Ben Hogan's 275 at Riviera, where the next open will be played.

There have been endless discussions of what a championship score should be, but Harmon has slipped in the best answer to date. The Augusta National was keyed to its toughest test in every way. Riviera wasn't, with its rough cut, its baked-out fairways and its soft greens.

I doubt very much that 283 will be broken at Riviera in the National Open. And Harmon happens to be a golfer who is quite capable of winning a U. S. Open or the P.G.A.

Arcaro's Comeback

A year ago there was pretty fair evidence that Eddie Arcaro was slipping. The slender Italian from Kentucky was still riding fairly well, but he was no centaur. He was booted around New York tracks whether he won or lost. It came to the point where it didn't matter to him whether they booted or cheered.

This was the situation when Arcaro headed for Santa Anita last December. But on this occasion his health was better. He was in better condition. And suddenly a new ambition was born.

"It will be different out here this time," he said. "It will be a lot different."

Eddie began winning. He began outriding Longden, Reeves and the rest of the outfit. When he saw he couldn't win he was no longer content to pull up and let other horses place and show. Now he was riding them out. All the way. He also was taking narrow openings, riding recklessly at times. He was the old Arcaro of winning years.

Then he came back East again. He began winning on opening day at Jamaica. He has been winning ever since.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

If grease in frying pan becomes overheated and catches fire, do not pour water into the pan: Turn off heat and cover pan—water causes blaze to flare up, whereas a cover confines and smothers blaze.

Revamp uncomfortable chair seats with a foam-rubber cushion. The spongy material is easy to cut; then cover with upholstery and tack into place.

Make sure your husband knows about this before you try it. A shaving brush is just about the handiest thing there is for dusting a pleated lamp shade.

It towels are wearing a little thin, a light starch will make them twice as absorbent.

When shoelaces lose their tips, twist the ends and dip in clear nail polish.

'Perfect Landlord' Reveals

Formula to Please Tenants

CLEVELAND.—Mayer I. Blum of Philadelphia, heralded as "the world's perfect landlord," outlined his success formula to fellow Apartment House Managers of America, in convention here.

Show your tenants with personal attention, Blum said, and use automatic devices to operate your building wherever possible.

Blum, who sends flowers to his families on wedding anniversaries, said his policy had paid off in harmonious relationships for 20 years.

Delegates were impressed when Blum told them that 511 out of 520 of his tenants signed leases immediately when the government permitted a 15 per cent rent increase.

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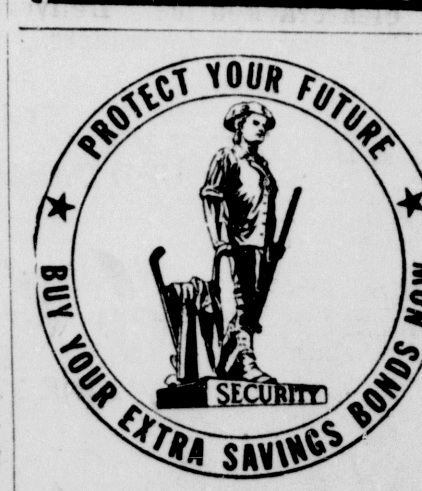
24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling.

Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

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GOLD BRICKS HIGHER

Inflation Hits Swindler, Victims

Inflation has hit the swindler and his victims, just like everybody else in the postwar world.

Cost of being rooked by various popular frauds and rackets has gone up in proportion to the rise in the swindlers' living costs, a report by the family economics bureau of Northwestern National Life Insurance company reveals.

Professional charity solicitors, who take 50 to 90 per cent of the public's donations before turning over the balance to the organization in whose name they operate, now boldly ask donations of \$10 to \$25 instead of the \$2 to \$5 at prewar scale.

Their "benefit dance" tickets now cost \$2 each, often more, against 50 cents to a dollar in prewar days.

Political Office Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For District Clerk:
LEON THURMAN

For Tax-Assessor-Collector:
ELZY BENNETT

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON
CHAS. E. BROWNFIELD JR.

For County Clerk:
H. O. (Herb) ROWLAND JR.

For County Judge:
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.

For County Treasurer:
GENE SPURGIN JR.

For Sheriff:
BILL DUNDOWY

BEN F. BAILEY

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
ROY C. BROWN

R. B. (Boone) BOYD

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2 of Fisher County:
D. I. (Ike) WEST

RATES FOR ANNOUNCEMENT IN THIS COLUMN:	
District Offices	\$20.00
County Offices	\$12.50
County Commissioner	\$10.00
Justice of the Peace and Constable	\$ 7.50

A great wooden horse was used by the Greeks to gain entry into the city of Troy.

EG'LAR FELLERS

But The Worm Might Turn

By Gene Byrne



TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

(By N. H. Kincaid, 2618 Hictory St., Abilene, Texas—Copyrighted)

"HOW A CITY IS BUILT"

Little town of Abilene shivered as the winter sweat in, on that night of January 13, 1888; and the doors of its many vacant buildings creaked ominously.

Founded as a shipping center by the Texas and Pacific Railway and named by Colonel Clabe Marchant and other cattlemen for the boisterous cowtown in Kansas, it had become depleted by the drouth of 1889. Its residents had returned east by the hundreds and now, lacking but two months of celebrating its seventh birthday, it seemed already dead.

Only around the new \$65,000 court house, built just before the drouth, was there some evidence of life. Here the tethered horses, hitched to farm wagons and city buggies, shivered as they awaited the return of their owners.

Inside the building a tall, well built man was speaking to a group

of tense listeners. "I need not tell you, my friends," he was saying, "that this is a land with a future; you know it. But many frightened away by the drouth have spread tales of its barrenness. We must prove its productivity to these and to others in the East. We must have people flood here as immigrants."

As Henry Sayles spoke, there were nods of approval. He had been their representative at the state immigration meeting held in Dallas late in 1887. They were here to hear his report and launch plans of action.

"We must organize Taylor County so as to work up the immigration movement," Sayles concluded. Fred Cockrell, chairman, had immediate response from 22 different businessmen and firms when he asked for decisions; they donated \$25 each for an immigration advertising fund. J. M. Daugherty, Will Young and Edward S. Hughes, appointed to raise more, reported an extra \$125 after a five minute's recess, bringing the total up to \$675.

Under the leadership of H. A. Tillet, secretary, the Progressive Committee of Taylor County was organized.

So definite was their advertising campaign that by January 11, 1889, just one year later, the freight agent of Abilene stated his movers' blunder had been coming in at the rate of a car a day for several weeks. By the fall not a single rent house was available in Abilene and the land firm reported \$22,480 worth of land sold in Taylor County in 10 days.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Annie N. Winkler Held at Anson

Funeral services were held in Anson for Mrs. Annie Naomi Winkler, Hamlin area people are advised, 64, who passed away at the home of a son, Ira Winkler, 501 Chery, Abilene at 6:05 o'clock p. m. Friday. Mrs. Winkler had been in ill health for over a year and seriously ill for six weeks.

Funeral was in the Anson First Baptist Church Saturday at 4:30 p. m. and was conducted by the local pastor, Rev. Henry Chambers, assisted by Rev. John Crow of the First Methodist Church. Burial was in the Mount Hope Cemetery under the direction of Lawrence Funeral Home of Anson.

Survivors are two sons, Ira and Roy, three sisters; Mrs. Ada Brown, Denton; Mrs. W. B. Hays, Dallas and Mrs. R. D. Shaddock.

Miss Dorothy Gardner of Port Worth, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardner.

The tide had been turned and the organized few had redeemed the Abilene country for posterity.

Dr. David C. Ballard
VETERINARIAN
220 E. Campbell Street
Phone 670-R
Stamford, Texas

Personal News:

Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department answered a call early Thursday morning to a small cafe in the colored section of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norton of San Diego, California were in Hamlin last Thursday visiting a short while with Mrs. Norton's old time friends. She is the former Carrie Boyd, daughter of the late "Byjo" Boyd, who was a merchant in Hamlin back in 1914-15. Mr. and Mrs. Norton went to De Leon to visit her sister, Mrs. Claude Withers an family. She gave a \$10 gift to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Bowen Pope reports.

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AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car—Hamlin Motor Company. 50-tfc

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day—White Auto Store. 3tfc

FOR SALE—Good five - room house, bath, good location, priced to sell—Hamlin Motor Co. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—Combination Radio-record player, good condition.—Call 223, Mrs. R. Y. Barrow. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Clean 1941 Ford pickup—White Auto Store. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Good model A Ford—See J. D. Adams, six miles east Hamlin. 26-3p

FOR SALE—100 young Brown Leghorn hens, blood tested at \$1.00 each.—J. F. Maberry, two miles east of McCauley. 27-3p

FOR SALE—Three doors regular size, three closet doors; reasonably priced.—Mrs. W. D. Cooper, phone 226-J. 1c

FOR SALE—One Hot Point Electric Stove—See H. W. Madden, Hamlin. 29-2p

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet and oil stove, 700 6th Street.—Mrs. Thomas Cranford. 1p

FOR SALE—New Hampshire Red pullets, November hatched, \$1.25 each.—Mrs. E. R. Hamlin, Route 3, Phone 85, Hamlin. 3p

FOR SALE—1936 tudor Ford—L. V. Miller. 1c

STATEMENTS, WEDDINGS and other nice everyday printing needs at The Herald. Come In! tfc

• For Rent

FOR RENT—Air conditioned apartment to a couple.—Mrs. W. A. Green. 1c

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RUBBER STAMPS made to order at The Herald. tfc

• Miscellaneous

AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car.—Hamlin Motor Company. 50-tfc

LOOK HERE you can find all your office needs in Hamlin—See The Herald today. tfc

Burnell Dutton was dismissed from an Abilene hospital May 14. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gilreath of Sudan were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Beene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner has as their guest last week his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Bonner and mother, Mrs. Z. D. Bonner of Sweetwater. His niece, a registered nurse, Miss Maxine Bonner of McAllen also his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bonner of Long Island, New York.

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Over 15,000 Vets Receive Increased Subsistence Pay

More than 15,000 West Texas World War II veterans, Hamlin area included, in education and training programs in this area will be eligible for increased rates of pay through the Veterans Administration base on legislation signed this week by President Truman, according to a report Monday to The Herald by the VA regional manager, Robert W. Sisson.

Veteran trainees are urged not to write to the VA regional office at Lubbock, or to any other VA office, asking how to qualify for the increased subsistence benefits. This most recent change in legislation increases the wage ceilings and the number of dependents, which determines the amount of subsistence allowance VA can pay veteran trainees.

The new law also increases the subsistence allowances for part-time school training and for combination school and job training, including institutional on-the-job training.

Sisson said that the higher rates will be paid automatically to those veterans whose existing applications with VA contain the information needed to certify them for the increases. Adjustments for disabled veterans training under the Vocational Rehabilitation, Public Law 16 and qualified to receive additional benefits also will be automatic.

When additional information is needed from veterans training under the GI Bill, the veteran will receive a form from the VA regional office asking for the necessary data. Since adjustments will be made on the basis of those completed forms, veterans are urged to return them immediately when they are received.

Due to the necessity of checking the more than 15,000 individual files and the accounting process involved, initial payments at the higher rates will not be made before the July subsistence checks are sent out about August 1. The increase will be retroactive to April 1, 1948 in most cases, and the initial payment at the adjusted rate will include all increases due from April 1 through the end of the subsistence period covered by that check.

The higher ceilings for on-the-job trainees provide that earned income plus subsistence shall not exceed \$210 a month for a veteran without dependents, \$270 for a vet-

Veterans News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q—I am a World War II veteran and have been totally disabled for a few months. At the end of my sixth month of total disability, will I have to continue paying my National Service Life Insurance premiums or is a waiver granted automatically?

A—No automatic waiver of premiums is ever granted. A veteran must be totally disabled for six months before he may apply for a waiver of premiums. You are entitled to file a claim for refund of those premiums you paid from the date on which the waiver became effective.

Q—Who is entitled to the compensation or pension check received prior to the death of a veteran?

A—The check or checks received prior to the veteran's death become a part of his estate.

Q—I am a World War I veteran and would like to know if I can get a guaranteed loan under the provisions of the GI Bill?

A—No. Benefits of the GI Bill, Public Law 346, are for World War II veterans only.

Q—What is the largest amount I can borrow under the provisions of the GI Bill and still have the loan guaranteed?

A—There is no limit to the amount which can be borrowed under the GI Bill. The limitation by law is on the amount of the government guaranty and not on the amount of the loan.

er with one dependent, and \$290 for a veteran with more than one dependent. Previous limits were \$175 for a veteran with out dependents and \$200 for a veteran with one or more dependents. In the case of veterans in job training only, no change was made in the maximum subsistence payable of \$65 a month to veteran without dependents and \$90 for a veteran with one or more dependents.

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Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—life itself—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure. When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out. Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance. The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body waste. Use Doan's Pills. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Insist on Doan's. Sold at all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS



HOSTESS TO SPONSORS at the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford is Mrs. George Pryor Jr., who will serve in this capacity July 2, 3 and 5 according to a report to The Herald early this week by Hubert Watson, sponsor chair-

man. She was cowgirl sponsor for the same Reunion in 1934. Her mother was first hostess to cowgirl sponsors and this is the first year that the daughter of a former hostess has served in the capacity in the Reunion's history.



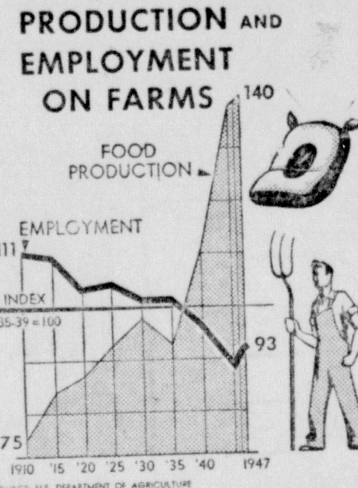
I want to enter a protest against cafes that announce on the menu "chicken and dumplings" and you order it and it turns out that the so-called dumplings actually are noodles.

Recently your columnist visited Arkansas, and when the bus rolled through El Dorado, that city had just been visited by a terrific hailstorm. Street lights were smashed; dents could be seen in the steel tops of automobiles; nearly all the panes of glass in a hot house were shattered. Hundreds of the hailstones were still to be seen in the gutters and on the lawns and they were almost as big as the proverbial hen egg.

In Warren, Arkansas, there is a minister, Rev. Hal Pinnell, who raises orchids.

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Had No Advance Notice.

Jackson was sitting with his wife behind a plan on a hotel veranda late one night, when a young man and a girl took a bench nearby. The billing and cooling commenced. Hidden behind the palm, Mrs. Jackson whispered to her husband:

"Oh, John, he doesn't know we're here, and he's going to propose. Whistle to warn him."

"Why should I?" Jackson asked bitterly. "Nobody whistled to warn me."

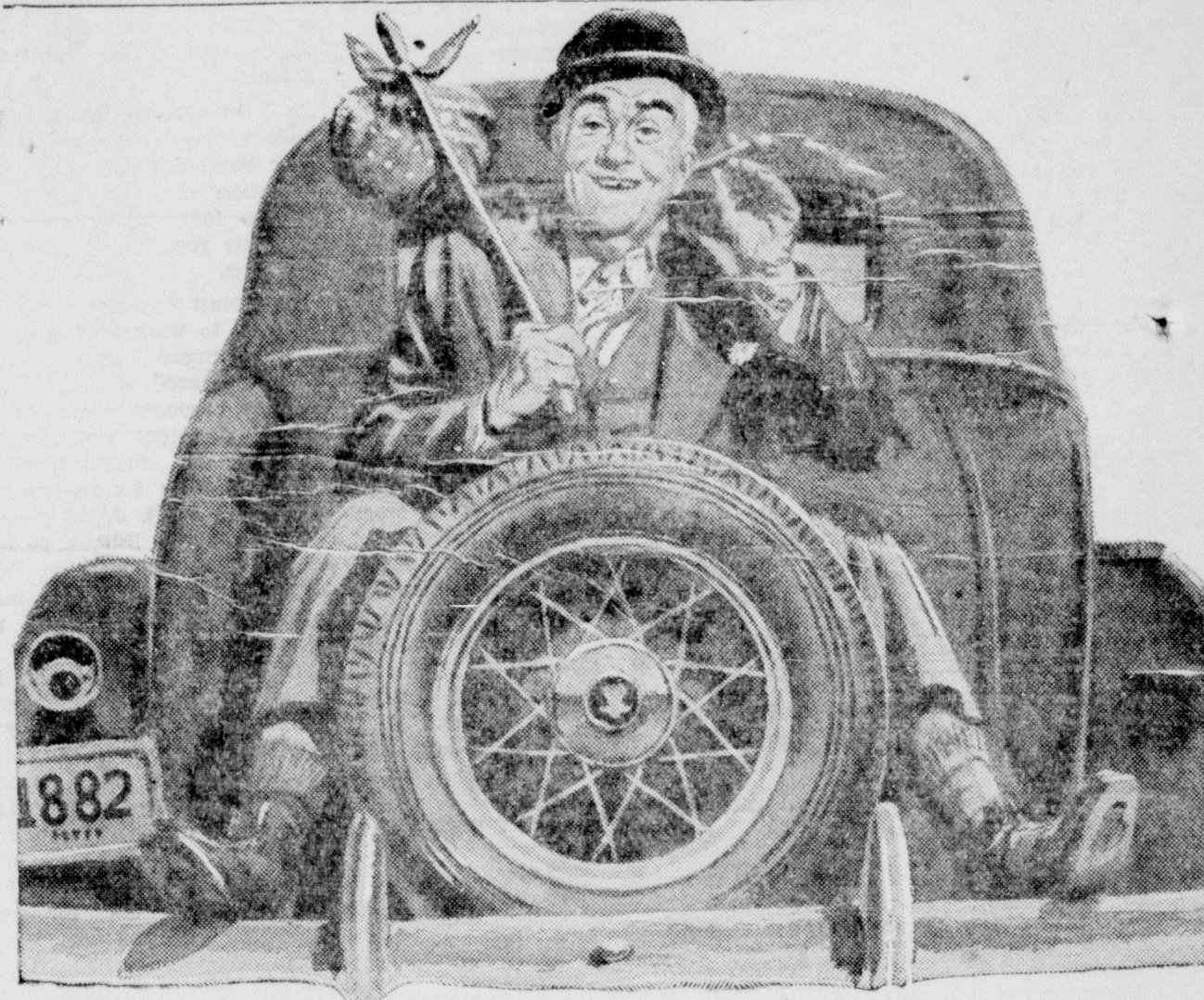
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The FICTION Corner

FIRST PRIZE!

By HELEN LANGWORTHY



ANNE BURTON turned pale when she saw the telegraph boy at her door. But just one moment later she was rushing to the telephone. Henry was amazingly slow to understand. She said it rapidly three times. "WE WON. WE WON. HENRY! THE TELEGRAM HERE SAYS SO. THE TRAILER COACH WILL ARRIVE . . ."

Henry caught on then, "you mean we won first prize in that soap contest?" His voice was hoarse with excitement.

"Henry Burton! That's just what I've been telling you!"

Henry muttered something that sounded like a combination of "Holy Mackerel" and "Jumping Catfish."

In the intervening days the Burtons were told over and over that they were the luckiest people alive. Dozens of people asked the rhyme the Burtons had submitted and walked away shaking their heads, mumbling "not half as good as mine."

Anne was almost delirious the day the trailer coach arrived. It was everything the pictures had shown. Chrome, clear varnish, soft lights and gadgets galore made it a fairyland palace.

"The only trouble," Henry complained, "is when I'm sitting inside waiting, I think of something outside I want to see. I never know which side of the door knob I'm after."

Eventually Anne made coffee and they tried to bring their chaotic thoughts to earth. Henry put his coffee cup down with a thud. "She will be the best trailer that ever sailed into Florida."

"Florida?" Anne paled. "You didn't say Florida! Henry—no!"

Henry had some difficulty getting a coherent account of the trouble with Florida. It developed that Anne's great aunt had been bitten by a rattlesnake while there in 1916. She had lived, but had reported there were dozens of snakes in Florida. Anne's "I won't go" was fervent.

Henry reasoned that 1916 was sometime back, that the snakes must have been killed off and that he personally would guard her. In the end they decided they wouldn't go to Florida.

Over their breakfast cereal next morning Anne made an elaborately casual suggestion. "How about going to California?"

Henry wondered if California guaranteed there were no snakes.

Anne smiled sweetly. "But the movies, Henry! Just think of seeing real, live actors." She sighed blissfully and let the toast burn.

Scraping the toast Henry inquired which actors she wanted to see.

"Peter Lawford, of course," Anne told him. Her smile was radiant.

"Not Cooper, Peck or Van Johnson," Henry teased.

"Oh, but they're all married!"

Henry spilled his coffee commenting, "Aren't you?"

It was different, Anne tried to assure him. He should realize how she felt. Henry didn't. Before he gave the front door a slam that could have been heard a block he growled that he wasn't going to California and moon over a lot of actors, even the unmarried ones, and that some people seemed to have never gotten over their swooning days.

Six handkerchiefs later Anne admitted to herself, with reservations, that she might have said the wrong thing. Working around their home all day she wondered what had happened that their beautiful happiness

was deserting them. She made an especially nice lemon meringue pie for supper and Henry brought her a box of candy rather sheepishly.

Everything was lovely once again at the Burton home. But nothing more was said about taking the beautiful trailer to California. In fact, it was two days later that Henry broached the subject of Denver.

"It would be fun," Anne agreed. She was to the point of mentally packing suitcases when Henry made an unfortunate remark.

"Boy, the fishing," he said dreamily. "Guys have told me they really catch 'em in the mountain streams."

I go! Imagine every morning being forced to deliver last night's dream to Martha to mull over. No! I wouldn't like the New England states now if they gave a bonus to every trailer arrival. NO!"

And that was that!

In the week that followed they considered most of the U. S. as vacation possibility. If Henry made a suggestion, Anne had heard it rained there. If Anne suggested a state, Henry became positive his sinus would bother him.

They almost decided on New Orleans until Henry remembered the miles he tramped there in army



"But the movies, Henry! Just think of seeing real, live actors." She sighed blissfully and let the toast burn.

He tilted back in his chair. "Imagine tying on to a big one—!"

"Do you mean to tell me you'd spend our vacation fishing all the time?" Anne's tone was icy. "Any time you think I'll just go along for the ride! Denver—never!"

Henry attempted to explain he wouldn't fish all the time. But Anne's mind was made up.

Shortly after that Anne's sister, Martha, came to give the trailer her dignified once-over. Martha was secretary to a psychiatrist and had "ideas." Her conversation dripped psychoses, split personalities and the subconscious.

Anne was showing her around as Henry came in. Martha thought it a wonderful way to have a vacation.

"Where are you going?" She asked.

Feeling almost guilty—but why guilty!—Anne admitted that they hadn't decided.

Martha held forth on the New England states. She beamed at Henry as she told them she had always wanted to see the historical spots. She looked up at the ceiling as she related the dream she had the previous night. Using the doctor's pet terms, she explained her dream as a hidden desire, a desire very necessary of fulfillment for her to see the New England states.

She turned to Anne and asked brightly. "Surely you aren't going alone in that big trailer? It will easily hold another passenger!"

Anne choked and looked at Henry. For answer he said, "We haven't decided. Want a ride home? I'm going your way, Martha."

When he returned his mind was as invincible as steel. "But," Anne protested, "Martha would enjoy it so much. After all—"

"After all," she doesn't go where

training days and his promise to himself, "Never again." The shiny nice trailer seemed destined never to be used.

Then Henry's cousins, the Nortons, descended on them. A visit from the Nortons never had been unmixed joy and hearing Jean Norton gush as she made the date over the 'phone, Anne trembled.

They came. Their five-year-old imp, Bill, was twice as troublesome as Anne had feared. It seemed that the Nortons were being forced to move. Jean Norton talked much of the luck of some people. She was frankly envious of the Burtons and their trailer.

Out in the kitchen while they washed dishes Jean Norton remarked that her doctor had said she needed a complete rest.

To herself, Anne thought that anyone dealing with their Bill deserved a long rest.

Jean Norton cocked her head on one side and suggested delicately, "Bill wouldn't be the least trouble, and we could pay well—. Wouldn't you like to take Bill with you? He would be so much company for you!"

Anne was seized with a sudden choking spell and escaped to the porch. Henry followed her out anxiously. She told him how she had been propositioned.

They stood there staring balefully at the trailer, shiny and bright in the darkness. "Life was more fun before we received first prize," Anne said dolefully.

Henry had a sudden, wonderful idea. They whispered. They started to shake hands in congratulations, then Anne's arms stole around Henry's neck. Close together they stood for a moment, each thinking life again was fine.

When they went inside Anne told the Nortons, "You're having trouble finding a house and you need a rest. Henry and I wondered if you wouldn't care to take our trailer?"

The Nortons fell on them. They laughed. Jean Norton half cried, "I can't understand what we ever did to make you share your wonderful, wonderful luck with us."

It was over at last. The Nortons left, promising their "undying gratitude," and making plans.

Anne picked up ash trays and Henry yawned loudly as he leafed a magazine. He sat up, suddenly excited. "It says here there's a contest where you win a—"

Anne reached for the magazine and closed it firmly. "No! We might be unlucky enough to win."

First Circus Museum Has Nostalgic Items

Heralded as the first museum in the United States devoted entirely to the circus, the Ringling Art Museum has been opened at Sarasota, Fla. Eventually the museum will contain exhibits tracing development of the circus from Roman times.

The museum is located in an old warehouse, with a central pole and girders suggesting the interior of a circus tent. The building is on the estate of the late John Ringling, circus operator, who willed his residence and art museum to the people of Florida at his death in 1936.

Included among exhibits are five old circus wagons, costumes, masks, drawings for the decor of spectacles, handbills and photographs of famed circus characters.

Kathleen Norris Says:

Return of the Prodigal Husband

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features



"I can say truly that I don't even like the man who is my husband. Ollie says he will make me love him again if I give him a chance."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

A DETROIT woman sends me her very puzzling problem to solve this week. Like most of our troubles, so much depends upon her character, at which I can only guess, and so much upon the nature and disposition of her family, that it is hard to be definite. But at any rate, Anne has been assured, in a personal letter, of my sympathy and my prayers.

Anne's husband practically deserted her, some 15 years ago, when her son was 11, and her girls 8 and 7. He walked out, leaving a note to say that he was tired of the whole thing, and would send her money from time to time. That first time he was gone seven months.

Anne took boarders, cooking meals for 12 in a hot kitchen with three children under her feet. She sewed for her friends' children and afterward for a wider circle, making good money after a while. But that came only after years of struggle. When Ollie came back it was to borrow money for a Texas venture. He disappeared after a few weeks and did not come home again for a year.

This erratic coming and going, borrowing and disappearing, went on until about seven years ago, when Ollie disappeared completely. Anne got her boy through college, a daughter through nursing school and saw all three married. Then she sold the rambling old house, put a substantial nest-egg in the bank and was casting about as so many superfluous women must, for some sort of modest anchorage, when Ollie turned up again.

Ollie Is Repentant

This was six months ago. Ollie is now 52, Anne 49. Ollie is gray, quiet, repentant and anxious to start all over. His children, with the inconsistent and unjust enthusiasm of the young, always have rather idealized their father. He always has been affectionate with them when at home, taken them out to amusements and on one occasion gave all three bicycles, which generosity apparently has counted more with them than all their mother's years of sacrifice and devotion.

A piece of property recently left Ollie by an uncle consists of a small, two-family cottage, in one half of which he has comfortably established himself. And, maddeningly enough to Anne, he has begun to renew old associations, so that she always is meeting friends who are delighted that Ollie is back and hope to see them sometime.

"I am not resentful or revengeful," writes Anne, "but I positively will not entertain any thought of renewing our old relationship. Ollie may be as sorry as he likes, but that doesn't wipe out the terrible past, when I lay awake night after night worrying over ways and means to complete the children's education and maintain their support. I have told my daughters and my son this, but they continue to plead and hint at their satisfaction if their father and I were reunited."

"Ollie seems to have changed. But it makes me absolutely sick to think of recommending the whole business over again, having him ask for help in the old way, having him step out when he has involved me in the old difficulties."

"My youngest daughter has just married a musician, well placed here at a religious institution now,



"Ollie disappeared . . ."

FORGIVENESS

What should a woman do who is approached by an errant, repentant husband for forgiveness after he has shirked his family obligations for the greater part of his life?

Anne, who has raised her three children through hard work, sacrifices and back-breaking, menial jobs while her irresponsible husband frittered away his time elsewhere, poses this question to Miss Norris.

At interminable intervals her husband, Ollie, would make an appearance in the family but only to borrow money.

Miss Norris encourages Anne to give her husband the benefit of the doubt and accept him into her household. If he fails to adhere to his promises she always can depart and live by herself, stealing a page from Ollie's book.

but perhaps someday he will travel or move elsewhere. With my older girl, her husband's mother, an old friend of mine, makes her home. I could not possibly live with my son's wife, who is a nervous, high-strung girl with whom her own people avoid intimate contact. Vinnie, my younger daughter, points out that my only choice, therefore, is to find small quarters for myself or join her father.

"Our old clergyman is deeply impressed with Ollie's latest role and has called twice to ask me pleasantly if I am not considering a reconciliation. When he left yesterday he said at parting, 'After all, I blessed your marriage and your vow "until death do us part."'

"Will you please tell me," the letter concludes, "what you think I ought to do? I can say truly that I don't even like the man who is my husband. Ollie says he will make me love him again if I will give him a chance. My son lurches with his father almost every day; both daughters laugh and sigh over his delinquencies, but they love him, too. I'm all turned about, please advise me."

Before I say a word of advice, Anne, I want to say that I do most heartily concede that this is a wretched situation and that you have been treated abominably. Even your children aren't showing appreciation of what your burden has been.

But you've had a pretty good time, raising three children, finding your feet financially, succeeding in your work. As lives go, that was a good life. Now, if I were you, I'd try it with Ollie. I don't have to tell you to stand firm on the money point. Don't advance him one cent. Let the children do that. If they will, it may open their eyes a little.

This change means companionship, someone to think about, plan with, another voice and step in the house. Maintain your own room and your own privacy, of course. If the experiment fails, then go away for a year, travel, do a little deserting on your own account. Then come back and take up your life where it is now. It's not a perfect solution, but what is? Good luck and my prayers are with you.

Women's Labor Force Drops

WASHINGTON.—So many women between 20 and 34 have married and have had so many babies since the war that there would be a shortage of available female workers if large numbers of men were drafted for military service.

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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: When the former tenants moved from here they scored the floors with their furniture. Is there any way I can remove the score marks?

ANSWER: Scraping with an electric floor sanding machine should take out most of the marks. If any slight hollow place remains after sanding, you may be able to make them less noticeable by building them up with several thin coats of a quick-drying varnish.

QUESTION: Please tell me how and what to use to paint the bathroom wallpaper, and how to go about it. The paper sticks well to the wall.

ANSWER: If you do not mind taking a chance on having the paper loosen, apply two coats of enamel undercoater and a final coat of good quality enamel. Do not use flat paint or any kind of calcimine.

QUESTION: What about painting a house with the spraying method?

ANSWER: If well done by a professional the job should be entirely satisfactory provided, of course, he uses top quality paint, the surfaces are warm and dry, and the weather is warm and dry.



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THY ROD AND THY STAFF

AS OLD as the green pastures of the earth, As old as its quiet waters, is the need Of comfort for the heart, and One alone Has the power and will to heed.

I find my comfort in thy symbols, Lord: Thy rod, thy staff, and like a small lost lamb, Wet and cold and shivering through the night, I find them where I am.

I reach for them, and they are in thy hands, And closer than breathing, nearer than hands and feet, I feel thy presence wrapping me about, And thy comfort, Lord, is sweet.

Grace Noll Crowell

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

By GEORGE DARDEN

Mrs. J. P. Humphries passed away last Tuesday, May 11, in the Callan Hospital in Rotan after a long illness. Funeral services were held in the McCauley Baptist Church Wednesday, May 12, and burial was in the McCauley Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Leonard F. Webb, pastor of the Seventh Day Adventist Church of Lubbock and Rev. C. E. Dick local pastor of the McCauley Baptist Church. Burial was in the McCauley Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Vernon Harris, George Darden, Paul Coope, J. I. Parker, C. D. Jones and George Mabery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Mabery from Anton attended the Humphries funeral and visited friends in McCauley last Wednesday. Also here from Abilene was Joe Ellis to attend the funeral service.

Miss Mary Ann McCollum, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum of this city, will graduate from McMurry College, Abilene May

25. Miss McCollum plans to enroll at Texas University, Austin this fall. B. F. Kemp well was plugged as a dry hole last Thursday after drilling 3,80 feet. We were in hopes of a deep test but guess the big boys figured something else. According to the crystal ball there is plenty of oil in this vicinity and it may take a deep test to get the home town all excited again. Well anyway, if rain comes soon there should be enough black-eyed peas planted to make all the natives rich. And too, this stuff called oil gets a man if he makes a bumper wheat crop and gets a flock of oil wells then—"high hats" his neighbors.

Speaking of politics; this man Lyndon Johnson from down in the sticks has thrown his hat into the ring for Senator Pappy's seat in the Senate. Remember, Mr. Johnson only liked a little better than a 1,000 votes to put the skids under Pappy a few years ago and we hope he will do the job this time with an overwhelming majority. He is plenty capable, qualified, young enough and smart enough to make a Senator that would make all Texas proud.

About five inches of rain fell in McCauley last Saturday afternoon within a hour and 20 minutes. The rain did not reach over much of the community with the exception of showers ranging from one quarter inch to a inch. Tanks were filled in the immediate vicinity and the planters will start humming this week.

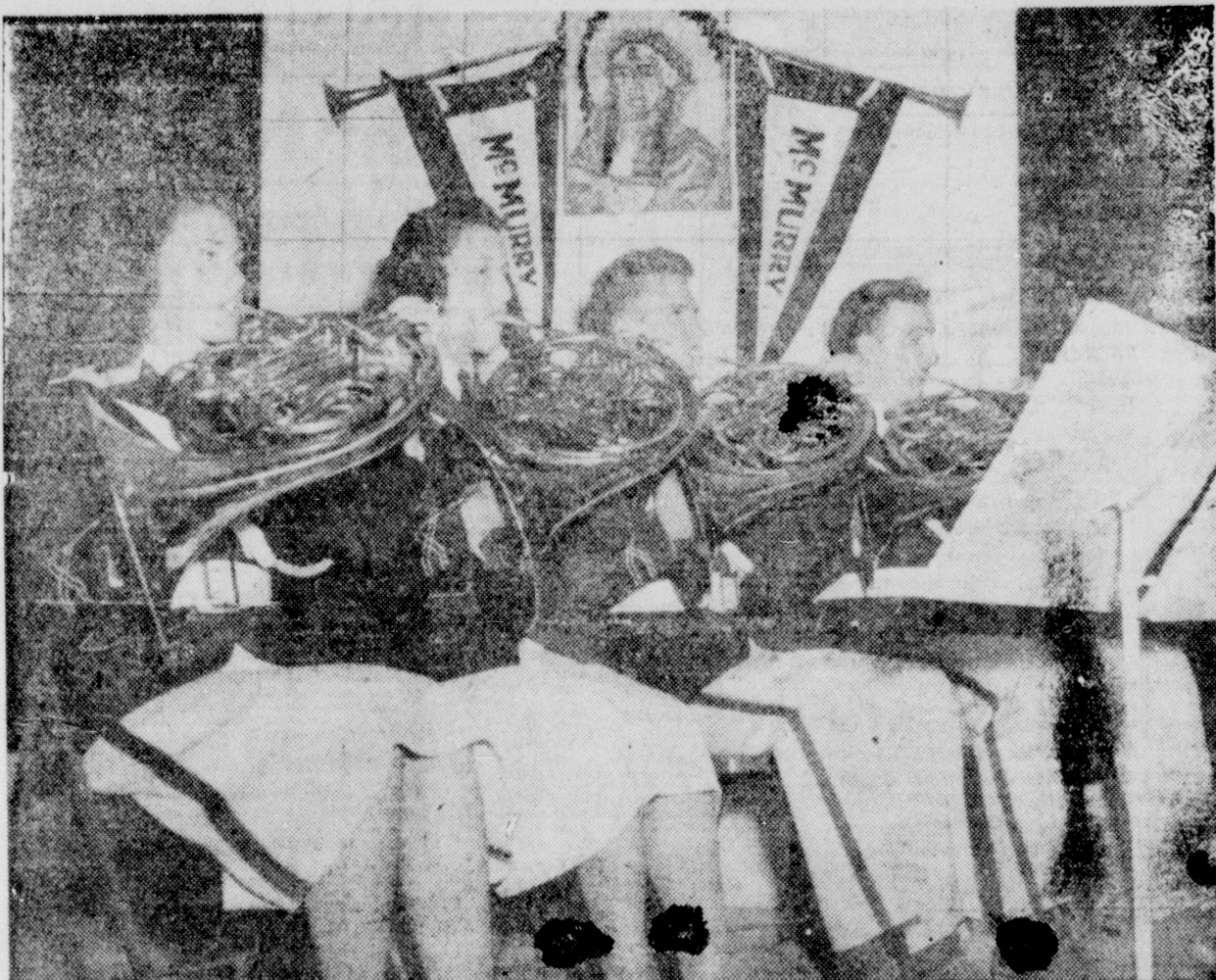
See in the Press where Ma Ferguson has endorsed Lyndon Johnson for the U. S. Senate. In 1941 Ma was for W. Lee O'Daniel and against Johnson but wise folks change their minds.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fancher moved this week to Sweetwater where he is employed in a market.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Masser are the proud parents of a son born last Saturday in an Abilene hospital. Mrs. Masser is the former Betty Jo Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Darden of Girard spent the week-end in the home of son and family, the George Dardens.

J. N. (John) Wishert, prominent farmer of this community and constable of Prec. 2, Fisher County, passed away in the Callan Hospital last Saturday after several weeks illness. Funeral services were held at the McCauley Baptist Church Sunday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Rev. C. E. Dick conducting the funeral service. Mr. Wishert is survived by his wife and five children. John Jr., Borger; Alfred Ray of McCauley, Mrs. Casey Jones of Slaton, Verna Lee and Mildred of Stamford and several brothers and sisters. He is a old timer of this community. He suffered several strokes before passing. Pallbearers were: W. F. Davidson, R. L. Wilkins, B. F.



JOHNNY JONES OF McCAULEY (third from left) is a member of the McMurry College Indian Band French Horn

Quartette which performed last Friday night during the Spring Concert of the Indian Band. Concert was held at the College.

It has recently returned from its Spring Concert Tour, playing in the Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hewett of Stamford were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders.

Personal News:

Short, Ernest Webb and G. L. Lewis. Burial was in the McCauley Cemetery.

Mrs. J. M. Miller of Plainview sednds in \$5 for the McCauley Cemetery Fund. It's rained folks and the Cemetery will need working so please send in your contributions.

Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church entertained the Seniors of the McCauley High School at their annual Banquet Friday night, May 7. All of the Seniors and 18 Juniors attended as well as the High School teachers. Rev. Finis McBeth of Sweetwater was principal speaker.

A large crowd attended the Baccalaureate Service at the Baptist Church last Sunday night. Rev. Temple Lewis was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan and Jerry and his father, Willie Duncan returned home the last week after a few days spent visiting in South Texas and Louisiana. They returned home by Houston where they visited the San Jacinto Battle Grounds and made a tour through the Battleship Texas anchored in the bay facing the San Jacinto Monument.

Mrs. W. L. Griffin of Merkel spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. W. Griffin.

Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, an employee of post office force is off on vacation, leaving today (Friday) by air to visit her children. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Holder in Westfield, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Forgy visited in Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells and Graham Sunday.

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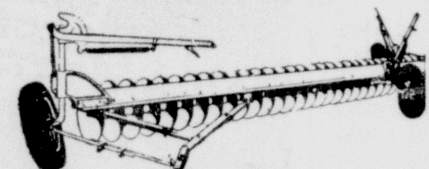
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Mid-West Cotton Oil Mill and Farmer's Gin Sponsor 6 Cotton Variety Projects

Mid-West Cotton Oil Mill of Hamlin, under the management of W. R. Terry, and the Farmer's Co-Op Gin, managed by W. W. Fletcher are sponsoring six cotton projects this year among Hamlin's Vocational Agricultural boys.

Following boys plan to plant 10 to 20 acres each on the best land obtainable on their home farms. Their land is properly prepared and the boys are only awaiting planting moisture.

Five of the cotton projects will be carried out by the following boys living in the Neinda community: Joe Edwin Ford, Don Gregory, Ted Kelly, Kenneth Holway and Jimmy Joiner. The sixth boy, Donald Green, lives in the fertile farming area around the Dovie Churchyard.

Three leading varieties of cotton recommended for this section, Northern Star, Delta Pine and Aquila, have been selected. T. C. Blankenship, local VA teacher will supervise the projects. Boys will keep complete and accurate records in order to obtain valuable faces for future use for the enterprise. Main objective of the project is to determine the best yielding and best paying varieties of cotton for the Hamlin area.

TEL Class Shower Success for Hospital Manager Reports

Women of the TEL Class of the Hamlin First Baptist Church gave a "jelly shower" last week for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, according to Bowen Pope, manager of the hospital, the shower was a success.

Besides jars of apple, grape, plum, dewberry and blackberry jelly the hospital received pint jars of grape jam, plum butter, peach butter, orange marmalade, raspberry and strawberry preserves, apricot and peach preserves. Pope continued, the nice gift will enable such delicacies to be on hand for patients who might not otherwise find them in any other young hospital.

Pope expressed for the hospital its thanks to the class for their interest.

County Old Settlers Reunion to Meet at Anson Wednesday

President T. O. Rowland, of the Jones County Old Settlers Reunion in Anson announced early this week to Hamlin area members, that the reunion will be held Wednesday, May 26, in the Memorial building in Anson.

Those attending are requested to bring a full basket lunch. The program will begin at 9:00 o'clock a. m. all persons who have been residents of Jones County for 40 years or longer are urged to come.

The meeting was changed last year from July 17 to the last Wednesday in May because of the hot weather in July.

Blessed Events



Mr and Mrs. Odas F. Fry, a son, Audrey Odas, weighing nine pounds Sunday at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

A son, Roy Glenn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelps May 1, weighing eight pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Masserof McCaulley are the proud parents of a son born Saturday in an Abilene hospital. She is the former Betty Jo Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. "Bunk" Clawson are announcing the arrival of a son. He made his appearance at the Rotan hospital.

New Pool Opened County, Test is Stated for Fisher

About 10 miles southeast of Hamlin, General Crude Oil Company has filed a location for a No. 2W. H. Jackson, reef test near the Round Top Pool. Location is 467 feet from the south and west lines of section 88 block 1 H&TC survey. It is on permit for 5,000 feet. New location is 270 feet southwest of the same operators' No. 1 Jackson which is being completed as a Swastika pay discovery.

On initial tests made on her is was flowing oil in seven minutes on a drillstem test. It was completed in the Swastika from 3,920-25 feet before it began flowing.

Production of oil in the Strawn claimed attention in Jones County early this week with a discovery of a new pool form that formation indicated and the largest producer so far from that pay being completed.

Discovery is the Bay Petroleum Corporation and B. H. Hilburn No. 1 Matthews, subdivision 39, league 149, Dewitt County School Lands, 1 and one-fourth miles west of the Pitzer Pool.

Operators cemented casing at 4,640 feet after a two-hour drillstem test from that point to total depth of 4,660 feet, recovered 1,500 feet of clean oil and no water. The well is expected to be drilled and in production by the end of this week.

While in the Pitzer Pool was made to the tune of 750 barrels of oil per day on initial tests of the Roark, Hooker & Roark No. 1 Talley P. Brown, lot 32, league 150, DeWitt County School Lands.

It was originally completed in the reef as a small producer at 4,137 feet, the well was deepened to the Strawn and completed through perforations in four-inch liner at 4,642 to 4,663 feet.

New Gold Star Building for McMurry Soon

Hamlin people are reminded of the bricklaying has begun on the \$30,000 Gold Star Memorial Dormitory, shown in accompanying picture, will be completed by June 1, according to a report from Dr.



Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry College, Abilene.

The structure, built in memory of Methodist youth from Northwest Texas and New Mexico who died in World War II, will house 175 young men. Another building—President Hall—is of similar size and almost exactly like it and houses 150 young women at McMurry. Between the two dormitories is located the \$135,000 Iris Graham Memorial Dining Hall, completed last year.

Work on the interior of the Gold Star dormitory will begin within a few days and should be completed sometime before the opening of the fall term next September. It will provide adequate accommodations for men students of the college. Dr. Cooke concluded.

Neinda Baptists to Go To Fifth Sunday Meet

Neinda Baptist Church will be the guest of the Sherry Lake Baptist Church nine miles north of Aspermont for a Fifth Sunday Fellowship Sunday, May 30.

All friends are cordially invited to come early and spend the day, according to A. C. Roberts Jr., pastor.

SENIOR CLASS LEADERS OF 1948



LUPE CAVE
Salutatorian



SUZANNE TOLER
Valedictorian

Commencement Exercise Thursday For Hamlin High

Commencement program for the Hamlin High School Seniors of the class of 1948 was held last night at 8:30 o'clock p. m. in the Hamlin High School Auditorium.

Theme of the program was "Youth Faces Tomorrow."

Rest of the program is as follows: Processional, Janet Bonner; Invocation, Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; Chairman, Billy Jack Owen; "We Enter a New World, Lupe Cave; "Resources for Progress," Sarah Steele; Song, "The Perfect Day," Senior Group; "Education for Tomorrow," Lela Brigham; "A Day for Free People," Aubrey Altum; "For Youth, a Challenge," Suzanne Toler; Presentation of Awards and Presentation of Diplomas; Class Gift, Jimmy Kidd, president; Benediction by Rev. D. D. Jones.

Special Saddle First Prize In Stamford Show

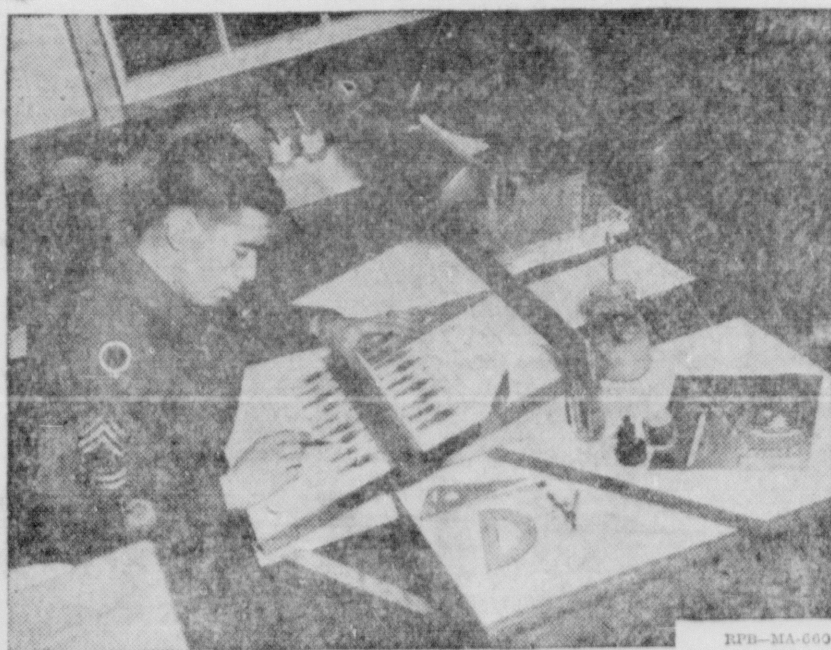
Hamlin area people are informed of a special saddle, first prize in the cutting horse contest at the Texas Cowboy Reunion in Stamford, July 2, 3 and 5, will be presented by the Cities Service Oil Company. A letter received by W. G. Swenson, president, from manager of the Company made known the presentation.

Specifications of the saddle were to conform with the high-quality without fancy trimmings of the other saddles offered as prizes at the cost to be between \$175 and \$200.

According to a spokesman for the annual affair the cutting horse contest is one of the outstanding rodeo events and is intricate and exciting proving the abilities of the cowboy and horse in regular ranch work.

Winter is that time of the year when we try to keep the house as hot as it was in summer, when we complained about it.

Regular Army Artist at Work



Skilled artists and draftsmen are finding new uses for their talents in the Army Ground Forces. Every soldier has the opportunity to continue his education by enrollment in the United States Armed Forces Institute, which offers numerous courses in specialized fields.

Hamlin Pied Pipers Expected To Repeat As Champion Club

V.F.W. Youth Program to Begin Monday, May 31

All boys from the ages of six to 16 are invited to attend the first meeting of the Summer Recreation Program at the Baseball Park Monday. Program is under the direction of Joe King, formerly coach in the Hamlin School, and all boys are urged to attend dressed to participate in any activity so desired.

Several sports will be offered, mainly softball, swimming, and tennis. Tournament will be staged and all will have a chance to participate.

This program is the first of its kind in Hamlin and it is hoped that it will become a yearly activity.

Voluntary leadership will be greatly appreciated and it is urged that the parents will feel free to visit the Park at anytime.

Health Officer Gives Suggestions for Care Of Infantile Paralysis

Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis, which is occurring now in some sections of the State, to Hamlin area people.

Strict sanitary measures should be observed in all communities. Eliminate rats, mosquitoes and house flies, destroy their breeding places. Every effort should be made to secure approved garbage disposal systems and safe water supplies, if continued. Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

All swimming pools should maintain standards approved by the State Department of Health, which includes maintenance of proper chlorine level.

Only approved milk should be used and raw foods or vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, filth and insects. All food-handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State Law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils. Those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should close one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in the maintaining of cleanliness, the Dr. continued.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided and they should not visit in homes where there is illness. It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts, especially in children during an outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches and theaters be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back. When suspicious symptoms appear a physician should be called immediately.

Similar Experience. "I just got out of prison this morning," a traveler told a man on the train. "It's going to be tough facing old friends."

"I can sympathize with you," comforted the older. "I'm just getting home from the state legislature."

Supplement Each Other. Balancing cotton with cattle should be the goal of every cotton producing state. Cotton growing and livestock production need not be competitive. Each should supplement the other.—A. L. Ward of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

ONE MOMENT, PLEASE! By Travis Hash We find interested people most interesting.

District 5-A Playoff Sends Pied Pipers To Roscoe May 28

Predictions are, being freely made that Hamlin's Pied Pipers district baseball champions of 1947, will again emerge as district champions this year.

Play off in District 5-A baseball will begin next Wednesday, with Hamlin Pied Pipers going to Roscoe. The game is scheduled to start at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Roscoe will come to Hamlin for the second playoff game at 8:15 o'clock p. m. Friday night, May 28.

Other teams in the playoff series will be determined to-night (Friday), when Merkel plays at Anson.

Final games will start between the winners of the first round Tuesday, June 8.

Pipers Win Over Roscoe 8-7 Tuesday

Hamlin's Pied Pipers notched another victory in District 5-A competition here Tuesday by walloping the Roscoe Plowboys, 8-7. A Shaughnessy playoff of the top four teams of the district through the double round-robin schedule will begin Tuesday. Teams in the playoff will be Hamlin, Anson, Rotan and Roscoe.

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Schuler and Haynes; McCurley Carter (2), Black, (4), and Franks

Hamlin Cardinals Beat Trent by 4-2

Hamlin Cardinals defeated the Trent Tigers at Trent Sunday 4 to 2, in a pitcher's duel between Runt McCoy, pitcher for Hamlin and Bill Jones, ace southpaw of the Trent staff.

Both pitchers were tapped for six hits, however, three errors by the Trent nine contributed in the Hamlin scoring, two of them coming in the seventh.

Ready to Play With Her.

The landlady brought in a plateful of bread, cut in extremely thin slices. "Did you cut these, Mrs. Jones?" asked one of the men boarders. "Yes, I cut them," came the stern reply. "Okay," said the boarder, "I'll deal."

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene Named Local American Cancer Society Field Army Head

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, chairman of the fine arts department of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, has been named Field Army commander for District 13 of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division.

Announcement of Mrs. Dudley's selection was made by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, commander of the Field Army for Texas.

Mrs. Dudley will direct activities of the ACS Field Army in 21 counties. The Field Army is a layman's group, composed of men and women who actively undertake to participate in the three-pronged attack on cancer—through education, service, and research.

Mrs. Dudley was for four years president of the Abilene City Federation of Women's Clubs encompassing 25 clubs. She organized and directed numerous war program activities and relief measures. From 1945 to 1947 she was president of the Sixth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

President of the Abilene Good Government Association, she has held offices in the Abilene Study Club, the Abilene Women's Club, and the Abilene Garden Club. She is vice president of the Taylor County Heart Association.

District 13 of the Cancer So-

Two FFA Boys Adviser Purchase Jersey Heifers

Two Hamlin FFA boys and their Vocational Agricultural instructor, T. C. Blankenship, made a trip the past week-end to the Knolle Jersey Farm at Sandis to purchase registered heifers. James Brigham and Raymond Scifres accompanied their adviser to Knolle's who herd of registered Jersey cattle in owns and operates the largest in the World.

James Brigham, Raymond Scifres and Donald Johnson purchased one outstanding heifer each at Knolle's. They are the best bred Jerseys secured by Hamlin boys this year and should prove to be very valuable foundation breeding animals in the future. The heifers are from some of the highest raised and classified grand dames and grand sires in the United States. They feature the rich breeding of Masterman Golden Jolly and the great Jester Aim blood lines.

Boys and their adviser are happy over the fact that these five Jerseys greatly strengthen their dairy program.

Only 18 months or 20 months ago the Hamlin Vocational Agriculture boys owning registered Jerseys formed a Junior Jersey Club and purchased a fine young bull from the Heep Jersey Farm at Abilene to improve their Jerseys.

Baseball Team to Play Afton Sunday Abilene Wed. Nite

Hamlin's baseball team will take on the Afton baseball club Sunday evening at 3:00 o'clock p. m. according to a report received by The Herald.

Game will be played at the City Park an admission prices are the same according to a spokesman.

Then Wednesday night the club takes on the Abilene Merchants Game time is 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Remove Stains from Beneath.

U. S. Department of Agriculture textile chemists say to work from underside of the cloth when sponging out a stain in the fabric, since this method washes off rather than driving the stain into or through the cloth.

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city's Texas Division comprises the following counties: Archer, Baylor, Callahan, Clay, Eastland, Haskell, Jack, Jones, Knox, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Shackelford, Stephens, Tarrant, Taylor, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

THE QUESTIONS

1. When was the "Star Spangled Banner" officially adopted as our national anthem?
2. What is the fastest speed ever reached by a human being under his own power?
3. Where did the word "khaki" originate?
4. When is the last veteran of World War II expected to die?
5. How long will the U. S. coal supply last if used at the present rate?
6. How big was Tom Thumb?

THE ANSWERS

1. March 3, 1931, by an act of Congress.
2. 108.92 miles per hour which Alfred Letourner attained on a bicycle behind a wind-shielding motorcar at Bakersfield, California, May 7, 1941.
3. India. It means earthlike.
4. By 2030. The last World War I vet by 1995.
5. For the next 1500 years.
6. Tom Thumb stood three feet four inches when fully grown. He weighed seventy pounds.

Simulated Spring Speeds Up Romance Among Queen Bees

ORANGE, CALIF.—Bees are going to do their romancing early this year in some California hives, thanks to the ingenuity of Leroy Bell, Orange apiarist, who has become a specialist in simulating spring weather.

Seeking to offer his queen bees on the market before nature takes its hand in normally increasing the population, Bell had engineers of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator company devise a weather system that stirs the dormant urge in indifferent drones.

The "spring-maker" automatically controls temperature in hives at a balmy 80 to 85 degrees and provides relative humidity of 60 to 65 per cent. To carry the deception further, Bell has artificial illumination that brings dawn earlier and delays "sunset."

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University Bone 'Bank' Reduces Amputation Cases

KANSAS CITY, MO. — A bone "bank" in the medical center at the University of Kansas has prevented several amputations and speeded the recovery of many patients.

It is a system of preserving human bone sections in a deep-freeze unit until needed in surgery and was set up by Dr. James Weaver, head of the department of orthopedics. Bone sections ranging from tiny fragments to pieces eight inches long and one inch wide are kept in the "bank." No complete bones are preserved.

Dr. Weaver explained that the bone bank does not keep spare arms and legs, since techniques have not been developed to use them, but that the addition of a small bone section frequently enables physicians to save a limb from amputation.

Improperly Knit Fracture

The most frequent use of bone-bank "deposits" is in cases of improperly knit fractures, the doctor said. In such cases the faulty bone area is removed by surgery and a section from the bone bank is fitted carefully into the gap. Almost invariably the substitute bone is accepted by the body and the splice heals perfectly.

Dr. Weaver explained that bone-grafting operations have increased in recent years and that many surgeons have performed scores of them successfully. The practice has been to obtain the needed bone sections from other parts of the patient's body—usually the hip or shin—and in many cases this has presented considerable problems.

The bone bank has provided a simple answer to the question of bone supply and physicians at the medical center expect similar refrigerating facilities to be set up by other hospitals. So far there are only three or four in the United States.

Obtained From Operations

Bone-bank deposits originally were obtained in the operating rooms at the center. Many types of chest and lung operations require the removal of a rib and these ribs have been placed in the bank if the patient from which they were obtained passed rigid physical tests.

Some types of amputations have yielded bone sections perfect enough for preservation and in one case bone sections have been taken immediately after death.

Written permission was obtained from the survivors of the person who died and the death was the result of an accident. Physicians found those bone sections which were taken under operating conditions, functioned perfectly as graft material. They hope to receive an increasing percentage of the bone-bank deposits from such sources in the future.

The latter, Thomas Sexton, 24, North Bergen, N. J., stole two of his mother's coats, a mink coat valued at \$2,700, the other a \$350 fur jacket. He had been arraigned in felony court as a fugitive from justice and then brought to a higher court for extradition proceedings after his father, William, signed a complaint alleging the theft of his wife's apparel.

Arraigned before Judge John A. Mullen, the youth was said to have been arrested repeatedly since 1941.

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Texas Congressm'n In Discussion at U. of Maryland

Jones County's Congressman Omar Burleson, Democrat of Anson, participated in an open-forum discussion at the University of Maryland last Wednesday under the auspices of the Association of Student Veterans, with Republican Congressman Van Zandt of Pennsylvania and Representative Isaacson, American-Labor Party of New York.

Issues involved were both foreign and domestic. Congressman such a question by Burleson was, with emphasis on Reciprocal Trade Agreements as related to information trade and world economic recovery. He pointed out that from all indications the Republicans were employing dilatory tactics to re-enact the 1934 trade barrier removals, bringing back the old question of tariff. He said the extension of our trade agreements was a key to both our domestic welfare and economic recovery in the world at large.

Burleson predicted, under the

Could Use a Little of That. Husband—"What are you planning to do tonight?" Wife—"Nothing special. I'll probably write a letter or two, listen to the radio and so on." Husband—"When you come to the so on, don't forget my shirt buttons."

present actions of the Republican Congress, deficit financing an very little, in any, retirement of our be legislated by the Federal Government Federal Debt for the coming fiscal year. Van Zandt's reply to "It remains to be seen."

In the forum discussion the question of "Civil Rights" was the first raised by the audience and many questions were fired at Burleson, who had stated that, "We of the South are believers in the fundamental rights of the individual, but we are intelligent enough to know that such asinine issues as segregation of the races, anti-lynch, FEPC and anti-poll tax measures cannot and should not be enacted. We believe these social

Congressman Burleson was the proponent should adjust themselves according to custom and convention wherever they exist." He further stated he is unalterably opposed to the so-called "Civil Rights", which have been so great over-magnified and over-emphasized by the radicals and so-called liberals of the Country. Rep. Isaacson, the American-Laborite, and Wallace Candidate of New York, engaged the issue to say that the Minority Groups of this Nation must be protected by law.

Congressman Burleson was the object of attack by Rep. Isaacson for recent statements made by Burleson on the floor of the House re a passport to attend a Communist symposium meeting in Paris. Burleson stated that in his opin-

Internal Revenue Collections Total at Better \$184,000,000

Hamlin area and other Texans paid more than \$184,000,000 in Federal Revenue collection in March, according to reports received early this week by The Herald from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Collections from July to March stepped up 18 per cent above a like period in 1946-1947.

March collections rose 37 per cent above a year earlier. Income taxes from corporations and persons not on withholding status gained 35 per cent and employment taxes more than doubled last year's collections. On the other hand, withholding collections fell 59 per cent from March 1947.

First District, South Texas, marked up a 45 per cent rise over March 1947 collections. Income taxes were up 41 per cent; employment, 57 per cent; and other collections, 127 per cent. During the same period withholding taxes dropped 74 per cent.

Second District, North Texas, collections were 28 per cent higher than March 1947. Employment rose 127 per cent for greater monthly gains.

Trouble Stays With Him.

Down in a small Southern town a negro with a badly slashed face entered a doctor's office.

"Hello, Sam," the doctor greeted him. "Got cut up again, I see."

"Yes, sah," was the doleful rejoinder, "I done got carved up wid a razor, Doc."

"Sam," demanded the doctor, laying out his bandages and medical supplies, "why don't you keep out of bad company?"

"Doc, I sho' would like to," Sam moaned, "but I ain't got 'nuff money to git a divorce."

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ion one who was an elected member of our Government should not lend comfort and aid to those who would subvert this Government and undermine all that we are attempting to do to bring about world peace.

Consumption of Cotton Linters Gains 7%

Texas cotton consumption gained seven per cent according to a report to Herald readers from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, from February to March.

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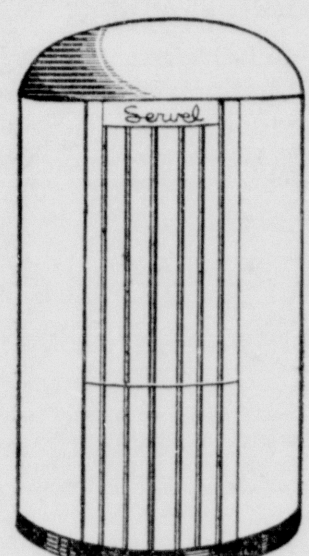
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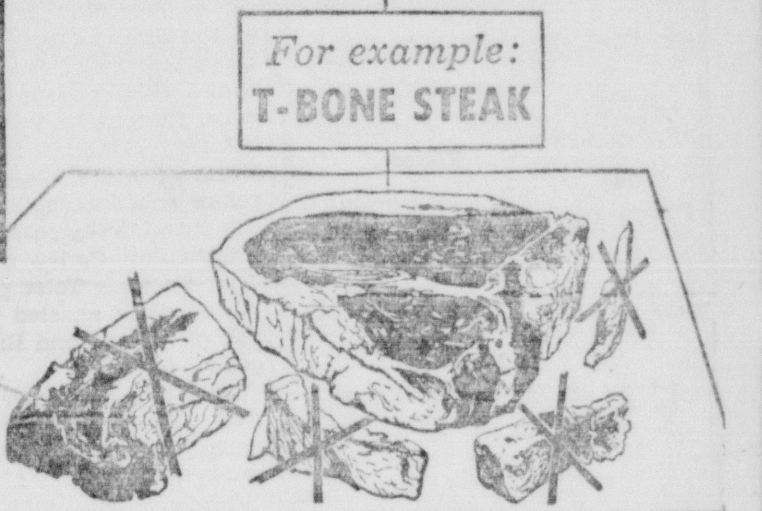
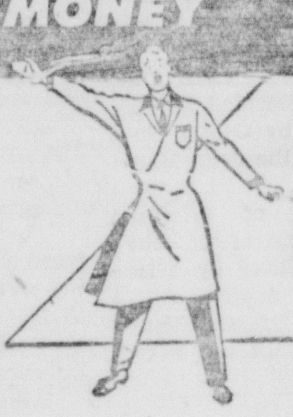
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Friendship HD Club Meets Friday Even'g In Johnson Home

Friendship Home Demonstration Club met Friday at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in the home of Mrs. Robert Johnson. After a short business meeting Miss Loretta Allen, Jones County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on making belts, covering belt buckles and buttons. She also helped each lady present put in a placket zipper.

Members present were: Mmes. Cecil Brown, Ray Johnson, H. E. Brown, Robert Johnson, Ed Rogers, W. J. Kemp, D. C. Rogers, Grady Smith, Wood Smith and Bert Fomby. Visitors were: Mmes. Ed Branscum, Homer Neal and Boyd.

The next meeting will be held in

Engagemnt Announced at Tea of Diane Carlton to Bennie R. Jones of McCaulley

Engagement and approaching marriage of Diane Carlton to Bennie R. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones of McCaulley, was announced at a tea by the bride elect's mother, Mrs. Buren Carlton in the home of Mrs. Joe Culbertson Saturday afternoon.

Tiny scrolls engraved in bronze and tied with the bride's chosen colors, red and white, announced the wedding date.

Miss Carlton will become the bride of Mr. Jones in a ceremony to be read at 6:00 o'clock June 3 in the Methodist Church by the pastor, Dr. Will C. House.

Greeting approximately 80 guests was Mrs. W. C. Russell. In the receiving line with the honoree were: Mmes. Joe Culbertson, Carlton, Jones Bill Adams of Odessa, who will be matron of honor, Mrs. W. T. Johnson of Abilene and Miss Bonnie Beth Jones who will serve as bridesmaids.

Mrs. Tate May directed the guests to the dining room, where a lovely arrangement of Shasta daisies, the bride's chosen flowers centered the table, flanked by tall yellow crystal holders. Similar flower arrangements of white Madonna lilies and yellow snapdragons were used in all the entertaining rooms.

Miss Joy Corley of Lamesa and Miss Suzanne Toler presided in the dining room assisted by Gloria Novak of Abilene and Billie Jean Hargus of Bardwell.

Miss Nita Rimmer of Wichita Falls directed the guests to the brides' book presided over by Miss Marilyn Thompson of Anson.

Goodbyes were said by Mrs. Herman McBride and Mrs. Mary Far-

row. Mrs. Bob Nunnaley of Abilene and Mrs. Henry Withers of Rotan very ably played many lovely selections during the calling hours.

Mrs. Tate May Gives Review to Gleaners SS Class Tuesday

Mrs. Tate May gave a book review for the Gleaners Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday night in the basement of the Baptist Church. Each member invited a guest.

Those attending were greeted by Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. who directed them to Mrs. Teddy Russell who was in charge of the registrar. Mrs. George Poe lead them to the tea table. Mrs. Bill Sharer and Mrs. Herman Treadwell were serving party sandwiches, punch and mints to the guests from a table laid with a beautiful lace table cloth with crystal appointments, pastel colored flowers and white candles.

Assistants in serving the guests were: Mmes. LaRoy Stubbs, J. E. McCoy, Paul Gentry.

Mrs. Fred B. Moore, president of the class, introduced Mrs. Tate May who reviewed, "The Bishop's Mantle" to about 40 guests, some being from Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd visited their son, Wright Boyd, in Lamesa Sunday.

Sunday guests in the W. L. Boyd home was Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sparkman and baby of Sweetwater.

Dr. Fred Fisher, Bible teacher of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church, Sunday.

Foursquare Society Meets at Parsonage Monday Evening

Foursquare Missionary Society met Monday at the parsonage. The meeting was called to order an opened with prayer led by Zada Garrett. Song was led by Mrs. Hewett and the devotional was brought by Mrs. Zudy Osteen.

Roll call was given by Mrs. Don Jones and business was taken care of. Everyone revealed who their Secret Pal was and gifts were exchanged. Names were drawn for the next month's Secret Pal. A pink and white shower was given to Mrs. Phyllis Jones.

Cold drinks and cookies were served to the following: Lina Scott, Zada Garrett, Mmes. Harvick, Hardy Hewett, Don Jones, R. C. Garrett Pearl Watson, S. R. Tabb, Zudy Osteen, W. L. Teague, Shirley Riley Francis Scott and Sam Jones. The meeting was dismissed by Zudy Osteen.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. L. Teague and Zudy Osteen Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McBride were in Fort Worth last week.

WMS Meets for Reg' Lesson Monday

Womans Missionary Society met in its regular monthly mission lesson Monday at the First Baptist Church. The president, Mrs. Joe A. Simpson, was in the chair. Mrs. Delma Shelburne brought the devotional with Mmes. Teddy Russell W. C. Weir, W. A. Albritton discussing the topics of the day. Laborers together with God in our determination.

Special attention was called to the next Monday program at which time Mrs. W. A. Moore of Abilene, a state WMU worker will teach a soul winning, foreign mission's book.

Juanita Bone to Give Organ Recital for Local Pupils

Juanita Bone, music instructor of Abilene, will present two of her pupils Tuesday evening, May 25, at 8:00 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church. Jere Lynn Irwin will give organ numbers and James Eddie Jay piano numbers.

Ushers will be Robert Angel, Cal Travis, Young, Angela Malouf and

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mixon returned Saturday from Levelland where they had been visiting relatives.

Clarence Bailey of Brayant-Link Company is in Dallas this week in interest of the store.

Mrs. Annie Millsap has returned home after a visit in Abilene.

Nan Shelton. The public is invited to attend.

MISS JUANITA BONE will present her piano pupils in a recital at the Hamlin High School May 27, 1948 at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

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Foursquare Society Programs Given by Class Reporter

Foursquare Missionary Society has been meeting right along but due to the reporter's husband illness The Herald has failed to have several week's previous reports so below they are given.

April 27 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Zada Garrett and prayer was given by Mrs. Don Jones. Devotional was given by Mrs. Jesse Kelly. A bag of oranges and a big box of food was taken to Mrs. Ann Lou Scott, ill in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at that time.

May 3 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Don Jones, Mrs. Jesse Kelly opened the club with a prayer. Devotional was given by Mrs. Watson. Twelve members and two new members were present. Meeting was closed by Rev. Harrell.

May 10 the Club met in the home of Mrs. Evelyn Garrett. Prayer was given by Mrs. Don Jones. A surprise shower was given for Rev. Harrell, meeting was closed with a prayer by Opal Jones. Coffee and cookies was served to attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Vesta Townley has been transferred to Hamlin from Colorado City. He is employed with the Shell Pipe Line Company.

Jane Adams, a student at Texas Tech, Lubbock spent the week-end with home folks.

the home of Mrs. H. E. Brown this Friday. All members are urged to attend.—Reporter.

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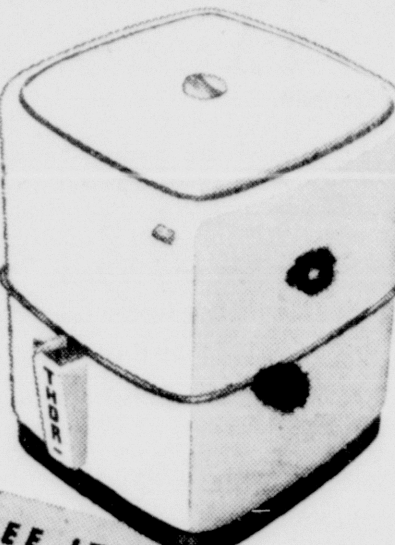
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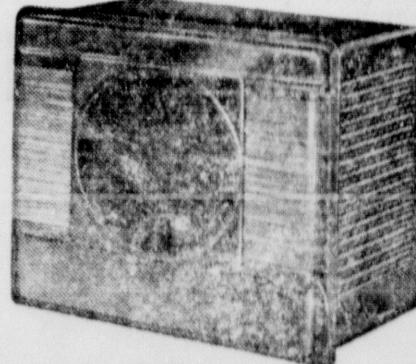
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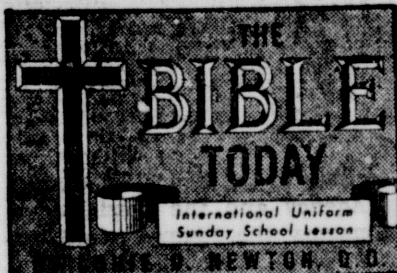
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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 95: 1-9

The Temple in the Nation's Life

Lesson for May 23, 1948

OUR golden text is "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker," Psalms 95:6.



Dr. Newton

The Jewish temple was a national sanctuary, whether we think in terms of the altars of Abel, Noah or Abraham, the tabernacle at Sinai, or the great temples at Mount Moriah, of Zerubbabel, or any of the other appointed places of meeting with God. The welfare of mankind, in every age, requires the faithful and frequent worship of God.

From the days when they sang the hymns of David, the Jews were prosperous to the degree that they were true to God in their worship and in their reverence for all things holy. This lesson traces the story, leaving no doubt in any pupil's mind about the solemn truth of the golden text.

A HOUSE OF WORSHIP

IN Ezra 3:10-13, we see the picture of priests leading the people to sing unto the Lord. "Because he is good, for his mercy endureth forever toward Israel."

Wherever you live, whether in the city or in some quiet rural community, remember this, the sanctuary measures the attitude of the people of such community toward God to a degree that they were true to God in their worship and in their reverence for all things holy. This lesson traces the story, leaving no doubt in any pupil's mind about the solemn truth of the golden text.

Boys and girls who regularly attend Sunday school and public worship will be watched by the men who are looking for trustworthy leaders tomorrow.

HONORING GOD'S HOUSE

"SERVE the Lord with gladness, come before his presence with singing," Psalms 100:2.

We read how the people in the long ago brought their best gifts to make God's house beautiful. What are we doing with our best gifts? I think of boys and girls today who are helping with their small gifts to erect and equip beautiful houses of worship. Tomorrow they will point with gratitude and thanksgiving to the part they had in making God's house the best house in the community. Thus do we honor God as we honor his house.

WHY WE GO TO CHURCH

MR. WANNAMAKER, the merchant prince, was once asked why he went so regularly to church. He replied:

"I go to church for two main reasons. First, because God commands it; second, because it enriches life."

The Jews teach us, in the long record of their faithfulness or unfaithfulness, that the people who go regularly to church are the most dependable people in any community. And we can bring it right down to our day and generation, and get the same answer.

A business man told me recently that he had a check made of the several hundred young people in his employ, and he found that more than ninety per cent of the regular church-goers were advancing in their work with his company. He further discovered that almost without exception, the people who were giving trouble were the people who never entered a church.

OUR NEED OF PUBLIC WORSHIP

OUR bodies require regular nourishment. And our souls are just as dependent upon regular nourishment. I would not say that it is absolutely necessary for one to attend public worship to grow spiritually, but the odds are entirely against those who claim that they can grow spiritually without attending public worship.

There is a place of worship within the reach of well-nigh every person in the United States. We are responsible before God if we neglect to claim the advantages and blessing of public worship.

The place of the temple in the life of Israel is a symbol which teaches us today that we dare not forsake the assembling of ourselves on the Lord's Day in his house. The fellowship of worship is the sweetest fellowship on earth. It is our surest road to peace here and hereafter.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Let Foods Complement Each Other (See Recipes Below)

Balancing Meals

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS most frequently asked by homemakers is, "How can I plan balanced meals?"

Fundamentals of balancing meals are really simple. Take your dinner, for example. Use a serving of potatoes or another starchy food to go with the meat course; add to this one or two vegetables that go nicely with your chosen meat cut. If you have not had a salad for lunch, this may be added to the dinner menu. If you have a heavy meal, use a fruit dessert; if the meal is light and the fruit requirement of the day has been satisfied, serve cake, pastry or cookies.

That is the dinner plan. However, it also is well to bear other points in mind, so that the meal will be pleasing.

First, select foods that have contrast in color, for these will make meals more interesting. We eat with our eyes first and a picture pretty plate certainly will whet the appetite.

Second, serve foods that have contrasting texture. You don't serve boiled potatoes, whitefish and cauliflower at a meal because they all have much the same texture. How much more interesting to serve asparagus with the broiled fish, with crisply fried potatoes.

Third, do have variety. Families have favorite dishes but they won't keep favored rating if they are served several times each week. Prepare everything you serve carefully so the family will learn to enjoy a variety of foods.

DOES YOUR FAMILY enjoy pork chops? Did you know that they could be served with a tomato sauce to add tang to their delicate flavor? Or perhaps you'd like to stuff them with a celery-bread combination, omit potatoes and serve creamed turnips. You always can put your vegetables in the salad and balance the meal that way. Doesn't this meal sound tempting and colorful?

Stuffed Pork Chops
Creamed Diced Turnips
Asparagus Salad
Orange Muffins Prune-Banana Whip

Here are the recipes for the main dishes in the menu, and you may be certain there won't be any leftovers:

Stuffed Pork Chops
Have the butcher cut a pocket in each of six thick pork chops. Make the dressing as follows: Use 1 cup of bread crumbs and mix with 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 1/2 teaspoon thyme and 1/4 cup celery, cut up and sautéed in 3 tablespoons of fat. Moistened with 1 egg. Fill pork chops. Brown the chops in hot fat, season with a sprinkling of salt and pepper, then cover and bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven for one hour.

The turnips are diced and cooked until tender in boiling salted water. Fresh cooked or canned, drained asparagus, well chilled, may be used for the salad. Use a tart dressing. Use your favorite plain muffin recipe to which grated orange rind has been added.

Here's the luscious dessert recipe:

Banana-Prune Whip
(Serves 6)

1/4 cup prune purée
1/3 cup sugar
1 cup thinly sliced bananas
2 egg whites stiffly beaten
1 tablespoon lemon juice

Mix together prune pulp and sugar and cook until the latter is dissolved.

LYNN SAYS:

Plan Colorful Meals

With These Hints

A broiled ham slice or ham loaf goes well with buttered rice, sweet potato croquettes, stuffed baked potatoes or broiled potato slices. Pork roast, either the loin or the shoulder cut, may be prepared with potatoes in one of the following ways: Mashed, browned, buttered, scalloped or baked. Baked squash also may be served in place of the potatoes.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Stuffed Baked Tomatoes
Tossed Green Salad
Sliced Cold Meat
Peach Pie a la Mode
Bread Butter Beverage

solved, then cool. Add bananas mixed with lemon juice. Fold in beaten egg whites. Chill thoroughly. Serve in sherbet dishes garnished with more sliced bananas and cut marashino cherries.

NOW LET'S PLAN another menu around an entirely different meat course. This menu has the advantage of limiting cooking to an hour, and most of it can be done in the oven, so that you don't have to watch the proceedings:

Tomato-Herb Soup
Baked Potatoes
Yellow Wax Beans or Zucchini Squash
Beet Pickles or Tomato Salad
Fresh Fruit Parfait or Apple Raisin Pie

If you choose the squash and pie, these can be baked at the same time as the meat loaf and potatoes.

The soup is made simply by heating canned tomato juice with a few herbs for flavor. If you serve the soup, have the beet pickles in place of the salad.

Easy Meat Loaf
(Serves 6)

2/3 cup dry bread crumbs
1 cup milk
1 1/2 pounds ground beef
2 slightly beaten eggs
1/4 cup grated onion
1 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon sage

Soak bread crumbs in milk; add other ingredients and mix well. Form into one loaf or individual loaves to be placed in muffin pans. Cover with piquant sauce and bake in a moderate oven 45 to 60 minutes.

Piquant Sauce: Combine 3 tablespoons brown sugar, 1/4 cup catsup, 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg and 1 teaspoon dry mustard.

Zucchini Squash
(Serves 6)

6 medium sized zucchini squash
1 cup soft bread crumbs
1 small onion, grated
1 cup tomato quarters
1 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1 egg, beaten
2 tablespoons bacon drippings

Wash squash; cut off ends but do not peel. Cook in boiling salted water for five minutes. Halve lengthwise. Remove pulp and combine all other ingredients with pulp and fill zucchini shells. Sprinkle with American or Parmesan cheese. Bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes.

Fresh Fruit Parfait
(Serves 6 to 8)

20 marshmallows
Juice of 1 lemon
1 cup crushed fresh raspberries
1 cup heavy cream whipped

Melt marshmallows in top of double boiler; add lemon juice. Cool slightly, then add berries. Fold in whipped cream; freeze in tray of automatic refrigerator about two hours.

Other parfaits in season: Substitute one cup finely chopped fresh peaches for raspberries. Strawberry Parfait: Substitute one cup sliced or crushed strawberries for the raspberries in above recipe.

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Certain combinations of food go better than others for a meal, because of flavor and texture contrast. You'll enjoy these easy-to-use go-togethers.

When you serve breast of lamb, surround it with browned potatoes and green lima beans. Add a carrot salad for more interest.

When you have lamb shanks and dumplings, the meal can be rounded out with green beans and glazed carrots. Serve a side dish of apple sauce.

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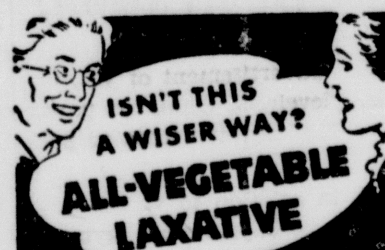
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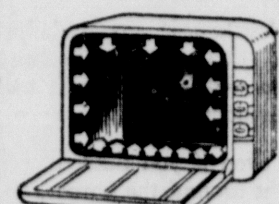
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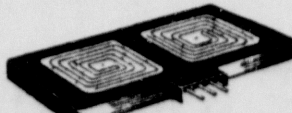
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By LEON GUINN

Military preparation, and especially expanded units of the service, should make a lot of front page news during the next 60 days. . . . With assurance that we will have a two-year selective service law of some type, a three billion dollar rearmament request pending, and aid to Western Europe at the top of the ladder, President Truman will doubtless get what he asks for in the way of having war-time controls gradually restored. . . . Our defense headquarters, for instance, is busy now on detailed surveys of military equipment over the land and just what equipment will be needed overseas before July 1. . . . Recent action in halting War Assets Administration sales of war materials, etc. is an indication that we are fast getting down to bed-rock in formulating a new defense policy.

There has never been any doubt in the minds of people who knew all the facts that oleomargarine had a permanent place on the American table, using as it does vegetable oil, but certain of our congressmen who had buttered toast, in mind are now admitting they were too keen when they allowed the margarine tax repeal bill to come to a committee vote. . . . In event these same lawmakers had deferred a showdown they could have killed the measure by "boondoggling" it until the end of the present session of Congress. . . . As the matter now stands the forces for margarine got in enough time to get 218 signatures on a petition to bring the measure to a floor decision this month. . . . Prospects at mid-week indicated a favorable trend toward repealing lock, stock and barrel the oleomargarine tax.

Look for farm income during the first quarter of this year, despite a February decline, to run somewhat higher than for the same period of 1947. . . . This view is advanced by key agricultural economists, who say several factors are keeping farm income above expectations. . . . Given favorable seasons and a good crop year, farmers should realize another profitable harvest this fall, and as long thereafter as we continue to ship food and materials to Europe. . . . Land prices are holding exceptionally firm, and although many offices are overloaded with real estate, offerings at this time of the year, there is no basis for a belief real estate values will drop anyway soon.

Now that Congress is getting "on the ball" to really provide an increase in our armed forces it may be well to note that many of our military strategists are stressing the urgent need for island bases—man carved and natural—in our new blueprint of global defense. . . . Such island bases would, in reality, form a chain of radar warning network around the United States for advance guard interception of guided missiles. . . . It is significant to note that some plans now underway call for rockets with a minimum of a 3,000-mile range. . . . One new guided missile up our sleeve may exceed the goal of 3,000 miles and be accurate to within a hair's breadth, as some observers relate. . . . Radar, by the way, provides the most sensitive means of early warning and intercepting rockets man has yet devised.

It is an interesting fact to note that 1,000,000 more women are now at work than a year ago. . . . Reports from labor offices show, in fact, that women account for nearly all the increase in the labor force since last fall. . . . The government regards such employment as a harbinger that high prices have forced the women folks into jobs of first one kind and another to make ends meet in this year of readjustment. . . . Incidentally, a wider employment of women has brought grief to beauty shop operators, shampoo makers, etc. since a boom has developed in home permanent wave kits. . . . These kits, nationally advertised, have been sold in virtually every state of the union, and have given women a keen insight into their beauty possibilities.

Congressional opinion seems to be settling down this week to the idea of adequate air power, plus conscription as a means of keeping America safe from attack during the next 12 months. . . . Universal military training does not have as bright a future as it did three weeks ago, when the war of nerves in Berlin reached a high pitch. . . . Congress intends to push through a good national defense program, and even though the final version will differ from President Truman's program, Truman and his aides will almost be compelled to accept the defense set

Are We to Have Depression?

The following is a current advertisement of Warner & Swasey Machine Tools, Cleveland, Ohio. It packs so many truths and facts, The Herald wants to pass it on to its readers:

When prices get so high in relation to values that people can no longer pay them, buyers stop buying—and a depression is on. Therefore, every act of every American which increases prices without equally increasing values is making a depression that much more certain:

Every manufacturer who tries to operate with old equipment, which means high costs.

Every workman who demands and gets more pay without increasing his production to earn it.

Every manager who is more interested in his profit record than in his value record.

Every labor leader who keeps himself in power by demanding more and more from business and who lacks the courage and honesty to tell his men they must earn what they get.

Every government official who fights against reductions in his swollen department—reductions which would mean savings and so cut taxes and the staggering debt.

These are the people whose selfishness is hurdling us toward a depression. There is still time to stop it. But it can only be done if every single American has the courage and the common sense to start now to give full value for every penny he gets.

What Our Exchanges Say----

NEGRO PROPAGANDA

Is the negro race really being held down as per the oft-repeated assertions of the Association for the Advancement of the Negro Race? The negro began to be brought to America, against his will, and as a slave some 200 years ago. They were brought over in foreign ships and sold to Southern white planters. Some 85 years ago, these slaves were freed by the proclamation of President Lincoln.

Where this race came from, most of the time for 1,000 years or more, they have had their own tribal government. They are still barely out of a state of savagery.

On the other hand, the "held down" race in the U. S. A., and even in the South, are moderately well educated and informed. Many of them own good farms, some have good comfortable homes in towns and cities. Many have good jobs, and are in comfortable circumstances. They have their public supported schools and the churches of their own choice. They have begun to build hospitals and orphanages. To be perfectly clear, they are hundreds of years ahead of their own race in Africa, where they "are not held down."

This comparison makes the wild assertions of the Advancement Association look silly. And, to top it all, there is not a negro in the United States that has the least idea of ever returning to his native shores to live unless as a missionary. So, unless we get some better reasons from this CIO-PAC organization to stir up trouble between whites and blacks in the South, that the colored folks are being "held down," we shall have to conclude that it is some scheme to feather someone's nest.—Terry County Herald.

WE MAY HAVE TO TAKE SPAIN BACK

Spain and her dictator, Generalissimo Franco, who have been kept in international coventry, may yet have to be accepted back into the good graces of her neighbors. Nobody in the western democracies has any particular love for Franco, but the force of circumstances is pushing him closer to our camp.

It would be a great help for the Marshall Plan if Spain could take part in Europe's rehabilitation. Spain has many resources to contribute and she has them close at hand. In addition Spain is probably safer from Communism's disruptive tactics than any nation on the continent and she will stay that way as long as Franco is in the saddle.

So far there is no question of Spain sharing in the Marshall Plan and neither the United States nor Britain has retreated from their position of no compromise with Franco. But there are subtle changes in the attitude toward Spain, such as re-opening of the Franco-Spanish frontier. Soon the nations of Western Europe may be making other overtures.

Any friendly gestures toward Spain will inevitably bring screams of protests from Communists everywhere. If the Canadian comrades start yammering about Franco's record as a dictator we will have to remind them that their own boss is the biggest dictator yet.—Vancouver (B. C.) Daily Province.

Hellgoland, an island in the North Sea, was bought by Germany from England before the First World War and turned into an immense fortification and naval base.

Sylvester News

Wanda L. Smith, Reporting

Sylvester Home Economics girls presented a Style Show last Friday and feature was an one-act comedy, "Society Rides Again". Cast included members of the Homemaking Class.

Baccalaureate sermon for the Sylvester graduates will be held at the Methodist Church Sunday. Following the sermon Thursday evening, 8:00 o'clock p. m. will be the Commencement Exercises. Everyone is invited to attend.

Vacation time is coming soon, especially for Tommie Francis and Wanda Leigh Smith, who will visit in Roswell, New Mexico. They will also visit the Carlsbad Caverns, Pine Lodge and Ruidosa.

Miss Rita Beane is leaving soon for her trip to Houston where she will visit friends and relatives.

Billy Ray Landrop, who is to enter medical school, will soon be returning to his home in Oklahoma.

Sylvester School faculty have worked hard to make our school a success, let's hope that we can welcome them back for the next school term.

Too Late to Classify

SALE! SALE! Sale! at Ball Furniture. Save on hundreds of items. Furniture Company, 935 Pine Street, Abilene. We do upholstery. 29-2p

CALL ON US for your field and bulk garden seed, laying mash, chick starter, growing mash, hen scratch, poultry supplies and medicines; come in and compare our prices and our feed; city delivery. Phone 168, Moore Grain Company. 29-tfc

LOOKING FOR THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH?



Throughout the ages men have been seeking the Fountain of Youth.

Maybe we'll find it some day. Certainly scientists and doctors have already greatly lengthened our life span.

If we could have eternal youth, it would save us a lot of trouble. We'd never have to plan for old age—because we'd never grow old.

But meanwhile all of us still face the problem of economic security for the future.

For most of us the only solution is regular saving. And there is no better, safer, or more painless way to save than by buying U. S. Security Bonds on the Bond-A-Month Plan.

Ask your bank about it. It's automatic. You sign up and the money saves itself—and every \$3 becomes \$4 at the end of 10 years.

And wise saving today helps to keep prices down. Your Security Bond dollars will do their part to stabilize the economy.

So even if you think eternal youth is right around the corner, you'll find the Bond-A-Month Plan is a wonderful idea.

AMERICA'S SECURITY IS YOUR SECURITY!

F. & M. NAT'L BANK of Hamlin

"Solid As A Rock"

Member of F. D. I. C.
 HAMLIN, TEXAS

Grains Show Weaker Spots in Mainly Steady Southwest Farm Market Report

Grains and vegetables furnished major weak spots in mainly steady to strong Southwest farm markets during the past week, according to a report Monday to The Herald from the United States Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Yellow corn closed Monday a nickel higher than a week earlier, but other grains netted losses from a quarter cent on wheat to 4¢ on oats and 8¢ on barley. No. 1 hard ordinary wheat sold around \$2.52 1-2 in bulk carlots at Texas common points. No. 2 grade white corn brought about \$2.77, yellow \$2.53 1/2 and oats \$1.30 1-4 to \$1.34.

New crop alfalfa meal supplies exceeded demand, but other feeds remained about steady. Old crop hay attracted only narrow demand, as the new harvest advanced as far north as Kansas. Good rains spurred peanut planting.

Eggs and poultry continued fairly steady. Eggs sold generally at the support levels of 35 cents a dozen at the farm or 37 cents delivered to drying plants. Heavy hens ranged from 24 to 28 cents a pound at Dallas and Fort Worth and 32 to 33 at New Orleans. Fryers sold mainly from 38 to 42 cents in the Southwest.

Hogs advanced 50 cents to \$1 in Texas and Oklahoma and \$1 to \$2 at other Southwest terminals. The prices ranged from \$21.50 to \$23, on good and choice medium weight butchers. Sows brought \$16 to \$17.50 in Texas and \$13 to \$15 elsewhere.

Cattle scored gains of mostly 50 cents to \$1. Denver reached new all-time high levels on both steers and heifers, as choice steers sold at \$32 to \$33.50 Monday and good and choice heifers \$30 to \$31.50. Good and choice fed steers bulked at \$30.50 to \$33 at Kansas City and good light steers reached \$30.50 at Wichita. Oklahoma City paid \$32 for top choice fed steers, a new high for recent months. Medium and good steers, yearlings and heifers drew \$24 to \$29.50 at Texas markets.

Southwest sheep markets paid record high prices for reduced lamb marketings. New highs on spring lambs included \$28.50 paid at Fort Worth, \$29 at Oklahoma City, and \$31 at Kansas City. New high or shorn lambs was \$27.50 at Fort Worth and \$28.25 at Kansas City. Wooled lambs made a new high of \$28 at Denver and at Kansas City.

Country wool markets enjoyed a flurry of trading and prices held

High Public Demand For RA Still Huge, President Declares

According to the local Railway Express Agency and the president of the company the company had not been officially consulted about any proposed change in its status as an express carrier, as recently reported in the press. Nor had any studies of its package traffic, properties or other services been made to justify a statement.

It was pointed out that in 1947 the customers of the company paid \$442,000,000 for transporting 193,000,000 express shipments.

"This is incontrovertible evidence of the huge public demand and the need for complete transportation service which the RA is providing," Head, president continued, and it will undoubtedly take more than an expression of opinion to do away with that need."

If, as claimed, the handling of small package traffic by express is uneconomical to the taxpayer, who is already paying the heavy annual loss sustained in parcel post service to which it has been suggested a certain part of the traffic now being handled by Railway Express Agency be diverted.

Just at Certain Times.

Guest—"Does the water always come through the roof life this?"
 Bellboy—"No, sir. Only when it rains."

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BALL FURNITURE COMPANY

835 Pine Street, Abilene

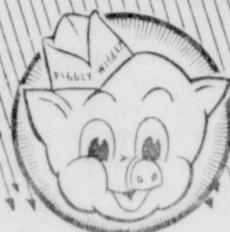
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What's a Good Buy Today?.. That's Easy...

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We're Featuring!!



TEECHEUT
 GUM, 2 pkg. . . 7c

SUNKIST, No. 2 1/2 . . 2 for

APRICOTS . . . 42c

MCCORMICK . . . 2 pks.

TEA, 1/4 lb. . . . 49c

WHITE SAILING . . 2 for

Toilet Tissue . . 15c

VIENNA 2 for

Sausage 32c

HAPPYDA 2 qts.

PICKLES 45c

TEXSUN, No. 2 . . 2 for

Gra'fruit Juice 10c

MAXWELL HOUSE 2 lbs.

COFFEE 90c

Kimbell's Best, 25 lbs. 2 for

FLOUR \$3.29

CAMPBELL'S . . . 2 for

Tomato Soup .19c

HYPRO 2 qts.

BLEACH 29c

SLICED 2 lbs.

BACON \$1.29

Wonderful Homemakers Values
 Buy two Sale

LUX 2 SMALL for 26c

LIFEBUOY 2 for 17c

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LUX Soap 2 SMALL for 17c

SWAN 2 LARGE for 32c

SPRY 2 3 LBS. for 2.49

when you buy any two of these Lever products you save 33 1/3% to 50% on this Famous Regal Aluminum Ware

AMERICAN CHEESE 2 lbs. \$1.15

ZESTEE, 28 oz. . . 2 for

Peach Butter . . 39c

TRI-VALLEY, No. 1 . . 2 for

PEACHES 31c

FRANCO-AM. . . . 2 cans

SPAGHETTI .29c

No. 2 2 for

TOMATOES .25c

2 Pounds

Pinto Beans . . 25c

LADY ALICE . . . 2 for

Toilet Soap . . . 15c

NUZEST, No. 5 . . 2 for

Orange Juice . . 39c

C. H. B. 2 for

CATSUP 29c

G. E., 75 and 100 w. . 2 for

Light Bulbs . . . 29c

CLINTON 2 pkgs.

PUDDING 7c

CRYSTAL WHITE . 2 cans

CLEANSER 5c

2 Pounds

FRANKS 79c

PIGGY WIGGLY

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF HAMLIN
COUNTY OF JONES

TO ALL QUALIFIED VOTERS OF
THE CITY OF HAMLIN, TEXAS,
WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY
IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE
DULY RENDERED THE SAME
FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election
will be held in the City of Hamlin,
Texas, on the 9th day of June, 1948,
to determine whether or not the
City Council of said City shall
be authorized to issue the bonds of
said City in the following amounts
and for the following purposes, to-
wit:

\$80,000.00 general obligation
tax bonds for the purpose
of constructing repairs, ex-
tensions and improvements to
the Water System owned
and operated by said City;

\$45,000.00 general obligation
tax bonds for the purpose of
constructing repairs, ex-
tensions and improvements to
the Sanitary Sewer System
owned and operated by said
City;

and which election was duly called
and ordered by the order of the City
Council of said City, passed on the
17th day of May, 1948, and which
election order is made a part of this
Notice, and is in words and figures
as follows, to-wit:

ELECTION ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF HAMLIN
COUNTY OF JONES

ON THIS the 17th day of May,
1948, the City Council of the City of
Hamlin, Texas, convened in regular
session at the regular meeting place
thereof in the City Hall, there being
present and in attendance the fol-
lowing members, to-wit:

Holly Toler, Mayor,
B. M. Brundage,
Arlie Cassle,
Clyde Huff,

O. D. Roland, Aldermen,

and with the following members ab-
sent: I. R. Witt, constituting a
quorum; when, among other pro-
ceedings had, were the following:

Alderman B. M. Brundage in-
troduced an order and moved its
adoption. The motion was seconded
by Alderman Clyde Huff. The mo-
tion, carrying with it the adoption
of the order, prevailed by the fol-
lowing vote:

AYES: Aldermen Brundage,
Huff, Cassle and Roland.
NOES: None.

The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, the City Council of
the City of Hamlin, Texas, deems
it advisable to issue the bonds of
said City for the purposes hereinaf-
ter mentioned; therefore,
BE IT ORDERED BY THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
HAMLIN, TEXAS:

I.

That an election be held on the
9th day of June, 1948, which date is

not less than fifteen (15) nor more
than thirty (30) days from the date
of the adoption of this order, at
which election the following propo-
sitions shall be submitted to the
qualified electors who own taxable
property in said City and who have
duly rendered the same for taxa-
tion:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1

"SHALL the City Council of
the City of Hamlin, Texas, be autho-
rized to issue the general obligation
tax bonds of said City, not to ex-
ceed the principal sum of Eighty
Thousand DOLLARS (\$80,000.00),
maturing serially over a period of
years not to exceed thirty-five (35)
years from the date thereof, bear-
ing interest at a rate not to exceed
FOUR AND ONE-HALF PER CEN-
TUM (4½ per cent) per annum, for
the purpose of constructing repairs,
extensions and improvements to the
Water System owned and operated
by said City; and to provide for the
payment of principal of and interest
on said bonds by levying a tax suf-
ficient to pay the annual interest
and to create a sinking fund suffi-
cient to redeem said bonds as they
become due?"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2

"SHALL the City Council of the
City of Hamlin, Texas, be author-
ized to issue the general obligation tax
bonds of said City, not to exceed the
principal sum of Forty-five Thou-
sand DOLLARS (\$45,000.00), matu-
ring serially over a period of years
not to exceed thirty-five (35) years
from the date thereof, bearing in-
terest at a rate not to exceed FOUR
AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM
(4½ per cent) per annum, for the
purpose of constructing repairs ex-
tensions and improvements to the
Sanitary Sewer System owned and
operated by said City; and to pro-
vide for the payment of principal
of and interest on said bonds by
levying a tax sufficient to pay the
annual interest and to create a sink-
ing fund sufficient to redeem said
bonds as they become due?"

II.

That the City of Hamlin, Texas,
constituting but one election pre-
cinct, said election shall be held at
the City Hall in the City of Hamlin,
Texas, and the following named per-
sons are hereby appointed officers
of the election, to-wit:

C. G. Green, Presiding Judge,
Mrs. C. C. Proctor, Judge,
Mrs. Lewis Madden, Clerk,
Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, Clerk,

III.

That said election shall be held
under the provisions of and in ac-
cordance with the laws governing
the issuance of bonds in Cities, as
provided in the General Laws of the
State of Texas, and only resident,
qualified taxpayers voters, who own
taxable property in the City and
who have duly rendered the same
for taxation, shall be qualified to
vote.

IV.

That the ballots of said election
shall have written or printed there-
on the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"FOR THE ISSUANCE
OF WATER SYSTEM
IMPROVEMENT
BONDS AND THE

LEVY OF A TAX IN
PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"AGAINST THE IS-
SUANCE OF WATER
SYSTEM IMPROVE-
MENT BONDS AND
THE LEVY OF A TAX
IN PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"FOR THE ISSUANCE
OF SEWER SYSTEM
IMPROVEMENT
BONDS AND THE
LEVY OF A TAX IN
PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

"AGAINST THE IS-
SUANCE OF SEWER
SYSTEM IMPROVE-
MENT BONDS AND
THE LEVY OF A TAX
IN PAYMENT THERE-
OF."

Each voter shall mark out with
black ink or black pencil one of the
above expressions thus leaving the
other as indicating his or her vote
on the proposition.

V.

That a copy of this order, sign-
ed by the Mayor of said City and at-
tested by the City Secretary, shall
serve as proper notice of said elec-
tion.

VI.

That said notice of election
shall be given by posting and publi-
cation of a copy of this order, at
the top of which shall appear the
words, "NOTICE OF ELECTION
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS."
The City of Hamlin, Texas shall
constitute one election precinct.
Said notice shall be posted in three
public places in the City of Hamlin,
one of which shall be at the City
Hall, not less than fourteen (14)
days prior to the date on which
said election is to be held, and be
published on the same date
in each of two successive weeks

Carloadings of Santa Fe Show Upward Trend

Santa Fe System carloadings for
the week ending May 15 were 26-
276 as compared with 23,905 for the
same week in 1947.

Cars received from connections
totalled 10,246 as compared with 10-
127 for the same week in 1947.

Total cars moved were 36,522 as
compared with 34,032 for the same
week in 1947.

Santa Fe handled a total of 39-
706 cars in preceding week of this
year.

Benjamin Franklin founded the
Saturday Evening Post.

in a newspaper of general circula-
tion published in the City of Ham-
lin, Texas, the first of said publi-
cations to be made not less than
fourteen (14) days prior to the date
set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED,
this 17th day of May, 1948.

(Signed) Holly Toler
Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas
Attest:

(Signed) Mrs. H. M. Barrow
City Secretary, City of Hamlin, Tex-
as.

(City Seal)

THIS NOTICE of election is is-
sued and given by the undersigned,
pursuant to authority conferred by
virtue of the above and foregoing
order of the City Council of the City
of Hamlin, Texas, and under
authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND
SEAL OF THE CITY OF HAMLIN,
TEXAS, this 17th day of May,
1948.

(Signed) Holly Toler
Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas

(Signed) Mrs. H. M. Barrow
City Secretary, City of Hamlin, Tex-
as.

(City Seal)

Local News:

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore at-
tended a grain convention in Fort
Worth last week.

Professor W. A. Stephenson and
family of Abilene spent Sunday
visiting his mother, Mrs. Etta
Stephenson here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McBride
spent last week attending a Grain
Convention in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbert of
Abilene spent the week-end visit-
ing in Hamlin.

Mrs. Lester Morton spent Mon-
day in Abilene visiting her rela-
tives.

J. H. Chambers of Cisco spent
Wednesday in Hamlin visiting
friends.

Truett May of Washington, D. C.
is here to be with his father, M.
P. May, who is seriously ill.

Rev. Alice Harrell has gone to
see her mother and father, Mr. and
Mrs. Killebrew, who live in Jackson,
Mississippi. She has planned to
stay for two week's and rest.

Had Him All Wrong.

It was one of mother's most hectic
days. Her small son, who had been
playing outside, came in with his
pants torn.

"You go right in, remove your
pants, and mend them yourself."

Some time later she went to see
how he was getting along. The torn
pants were lying on the chair. The
door to the cellar, usually closed,
was open, and she called down loud-
ly and sternly:

"Are you running around down
there without your pants on?"

"No, madam, I am reading the
gas meter," came the voice of the
gas man.

Feeling at Home.

A man was looking for a good
church to attend and happened into
a small one in which the congre-
gation were reading with the min-
ister. They were saying:

"We have left undone those things
which we ought to have done, and
we have done those things which we
ought not to have done."

The man dropped into a seat and

Funeral Services for John N. Wishert Held at McCaulley

Funeral services were held Sun-
day, May 16, for John N. Wishert,
69, who passed away in the Ro-
tan hospital May 15.

Wishert was a prosperous farm-
er having spent 41 years farming
in Fisher County. He united with
the Missionary Baptist Church at
McCaulley in 1940.

Rev. C. E. Dick, pastor of the
local Baptist Church in McCaul-
ley officiated, burial was in the
McCaulley Cemetery under the di-
rection of Barrow Funeral Home.

Survivors are the widow, son,
John Jr. of Rule; Mrs. Mildred
Latham Stamford; Mrs. J. C.
Jones, Slaton and Verna Lee of
Abilene; Alfred of McCaulley; one
sister, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Plainview.

a brother, Noah Wishert of Mc-
Caulley and six grandchildren.

W. H. EYSEN JR.

Attorney-at-Law

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29-4p

Do you give your shoes the attention they need?
Do you need heels or soles? A much better and
neater job can be done if they are repaired in time.
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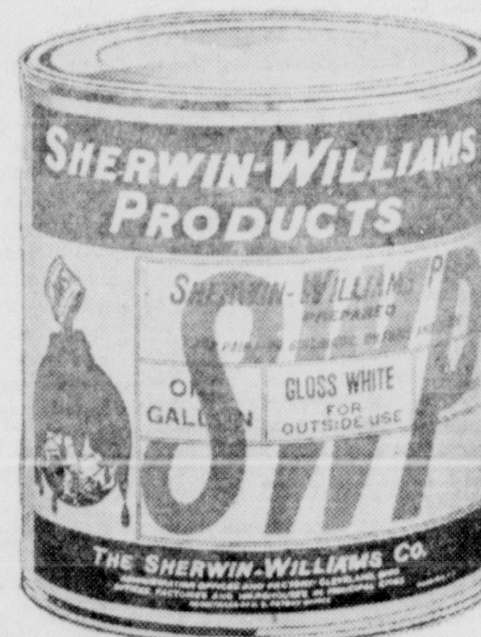
ON ALL BOOTS I NOW HAVE IN STOCK

Men and children—men sizes I now have are from
6½ to 10½ while they last. This big reduction is
good only through the rest of this month.

ALSO 20 PER CENT OFF ON ALL LADIES
HANDBAGS

STUBB'S SHOE SHOP

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GALLON

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WORLD-FAMOUS **SWP** HOUSE PAINT

NOW BACK IN STOCK
IN LIMITED QUANTITY
HIGHEST QUALITY!

● Been putting off painting your home? Been
afraid of substitute wartime paint? Well, delay
no longer! The real thing's back... SWP
House Paint.

Into SWP House Paint—long America's favorite house paint—go only
the very finest raw materials, processed with all the skill of the
World's largest manufacturer of paint. And SWP House Paint is made
even better today, thanks to wartime research.

Our stock of SWP House Paint is limited. Regular shipments will
keep coming, but the demand is tremendous. So play safe, get your
order for SWP House Paint in today, even though plans call for
painting your house later on.



Rockwell Bros. & Co.

"Lumbermen"—Phone 76

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS



\$5.50
A WEEK
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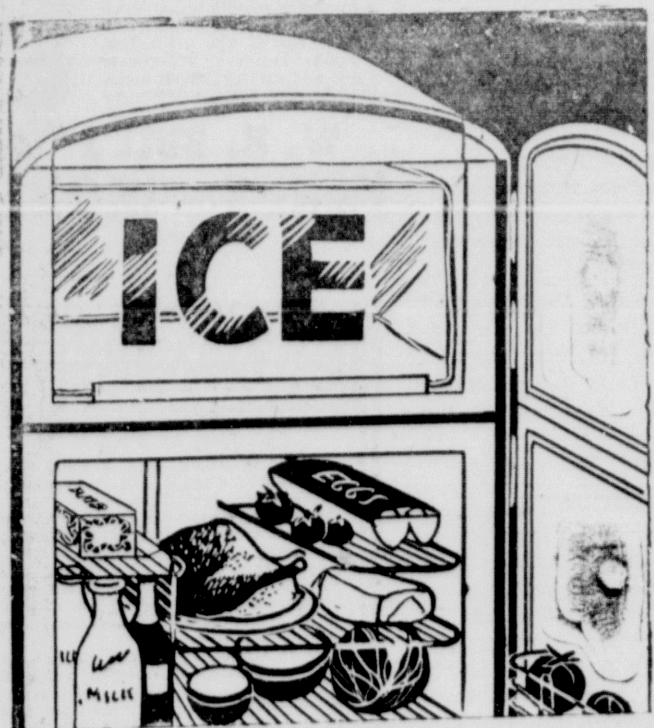
Firestone 10 Cu. Ft. Upright FOOD FREEZER

Cut down food costs and shopping trips... Be prepared
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

House Group Approves Measure To Draft Men into Armed Forces; Hope for Palestine Agreement Ebbs

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

DRAFT BILL: On the Way

Yielding to the pressure of the times, congress was putting its hand gingerly to the business of passing a selective service act which would give the nation's armed forces a total manpower of slightly more than two million in two years.

The house armed services committee had approved the measure, after hearing Defense Secretary James Forrestal term it an "excellent" one, and passed it on to the floor of the house for debate.

Thus, for the first time since before the war, congress was facing squarely the momentous issue of a national draft. That this was happening during the hair-trigger days of an election year only served to underline the apparent urgency of the matter.

As approved by the armed services committee, the bill would:

1. Raise total authorized manpower of the armed forces to 2,005,882—army 837,000, air force 502,000, navy and marine corps 666,882.
2. Require registration of men from 18 through 30, with those from 19 through 25 liable for two years' service.
3. Exempt most veterans from further service, but those under 31 would have to register.
4. Allow seizure of industrial plants by the government if they refused to give top priorities to armament orders.

As it stood, the draft plan was conceded to have a good chance of passage at this session of congress. But complications were being threatened by the senate armed services committee which seemed inclined to combine a universal military training measure with the draft bill.

The committee was waiting for Army Secretary Kenneth Royall to recommend details of a bill to call 161,000 18-year-olds for a year's training. They would be taken in addition to men procured through the draft.

As a combination, that didn't look so good to many Republicans. Rep. Walter G. Andrews (Rep., N. Y.), chairman of the house armed services committee, called the idea "utterly foolish, inconceivable and not called for."

OLEO TAX: Fight Ahead

One of the most pressing problems members of congress have had to decide this year is whether their political bread is spread with butter or oleomargarine.

It is further complicated by the fact that they might, in choosing one or the other, be letting the gravy get away from them.

For good or ill, however, the house of representatives made its decision. It passed by a vote of 260 to 106 a bill to repeal all federal oleomargarine taxes which have been on the books for 62 years.

Those taxes are itemized as follows: 10 cents a pound on colored oleo, 1/4 cent a pound on uncolored, \$600 a year on manufacturers, \$480 on wholesalers of colored oleo, \$200 on wholesalers of the uncolored product, \$48 on retailers of colored oleo and \$6 on retailers of uncolored.

Even if the federal taxes were repealed, it still would be against the law to sell colored oleo in 20 states. Nevertheless, the house had rid itself of the matter and now it was up to the senate, where a battle royal was in prospect.

Reason the oleo tax issue has a stiff fight ahead in the senate is that senators are elected by voters of entire states, rather than by voters of districts within the states as are most representatives.

The result, in this case, is a split in the sentiment of constituents of many senators.

For example, big northern states such as Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Ohio, are composed of consumer cities and producer farms. The country districts include dairy farmers and soy bean growers. Consumers in cities want repeal of the taxes, and so do the soy bean men whose product is used in manufacture of oleo. The dairy farmers, naturally, want the tax to remain.

The dairy interests are strong. Their supporters in congress have been able to retain the oleo tax by the simple process of shelving any repeal bills in committee. It happened to the current bill in the house agricultural committee, but a petition circulated among house members forced the bill on to the floor where it was approved.

GOLD BRICKS HIGHER

Inflation Hits Swindler, Victims

Inflation has hit the swindler and his victims, just like everybody else in the postwar world.

Cost of being fooled by various popular frauds and rackets has gone up in proportion to the rise in the swindlers' living costs, a report by the family economics bureau of Northwestern National Life Insurance company reveals.

Clouds in the East



Amateur and professional military experts now are weighing the pros and cons of "war" in the Holy Land. Palestine is completely encircled by Arab states except for its Mediterranean coastline. Numerals indicate estimated fighting strength of the various Arab states. Jewish forces in Palestine are said to number about 75,000.

JERUSALEM: Confused

Time was running out in Palestine, and with it the hope for averting a Jewish-Arab civil war for possession of Jerusalem.

In the waning days before Great Britain removed her troops from the Holy Land upon expiration of the British mandate on May 15, Palestine had become a savagely confused, moribund state.

Bitterly, the United Nations trusteeship council virtually abandoned its efforts to devise an effective plan to safeguard Jerusalem from ravishment by the warring factions. Delegates could not hit upon a scheme that could be enforced.

Nor was any Arab-Jewish agreement in sight which might result in a truce necessary to give any U. N. plan a chance. Like a little boy watching his father trying to get his kite out of a tree, the council looked hopefully to Jerusalem where the Red Cross was doing its best to bring a halt to the fighting.

As far as the threatened invasion of Palestine by neighboring Arab states was concerned, no one seemed able to sum up the situation accurately.

Jews were insisting, in the face of denials, that Syrian and Lebanese armies had invaded northern Palestine, and the British were reported to have rushed troops back into the country to deal with what they called a "seriously deteriorated" situation.

Still an unknown factor in the rapidly climaxing events was wily old King Abdullah of Trans-Jordan. Commander of the finest army in Arabia, the spike-helmeted Arab Legion, he had been talking big about invading Palestine from the East. He had been talking, too, about making himself king of Palestine. His ambition is a Middle East amalgam of states that would be in the nature of a greater Syria.

Experts were not discounting the role Abdullah and his power-politicking could play in the drama. In the end he could turn out to be the catalytic agent that might bring the unregenerate events in Palestine to a reasonable, if not a happy, conclusion.

COVENANTS: Just Paper

In a decision which may produce more extensive reaction than any designed civil rights legislative program, the U. S. supreme court handed down a decision that, in effect, outlaws so-called restrictive covenants which bar racial or religious minorities from buying or occupying property in many areas throughout the country.

Declaring the decision, Chief Justice Fred Vinson held that enforcement of restrictive covenants by state or federal courts was a violation of the 14th amendment.

That amendment, adopted in 1868, reads in part: "No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States . . . nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

The supreme court's decision did not declare that restrictive covenants, as such, are violations of the constitution; but by ruling that it is unconstitutional for the courts to enforce the covenants it reduced them, legally, to mere scraps of paper.

For the most part, covenants are agreements entered upon by real estate promoters and buyers of land or homes. Purchasers agree not to sell their land or homes to persons barred by the covenant, terms of the agreement running from an average of 25 or 50 years to "perpetuity."

? Current Events?

Anyone who can answer all five of the following questions may consider himself an expert. It doesn't make any difference what kind of expert. It's enough just to be one without going into boring detail about it.

1. Trans-Jordan is playing a key role in the Palestine situation. How long has it been an independent state?
2. State department is considering some form of military lend-lease for the five nations which signed the Brussels pact. When did lend-lease begin and when was it terminated?
3. Do you know about how many of America's 542,000 troops now are serving outside the U. S.: (a) 358,000; (b) 258,000; (c) 158,000; (d) 58,000?
4. Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio is seeking Republican presidential nomination. There have been seven Ohio-born Presidents. Name them.
5. Bureau of labor statistics reported that the consumer price index declined from 168.8 in January to 166.9 in March. What event took place in mid-February that was a factor in the decline?

ANSWERS

1. A little over two years. In March, 1946, under a treaty with Great Britain, Trans-Jordan became a sovereign independent state.
2. President Roosevelt signed the lend-lease bill on March 11, 1941. It was terminated by President Truman as of August 22, 1945.
3. (b) 258,000.
4. U. S. Grant, Rutherford B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley, William Howard Taft, Warren G. Harding. All were Republicans.
5. The break in the grain market.

BIG PLANES: Russian

Russia put some big four-engined planes into the air over Moscow for the annual Soviet May Day parade and managed thereby to instill a modicum of uneasiness in the hearts of U. S. military experts.

At last reports they were awaiting more detailed reports of the planes from U. S. observers in order to gain, if possible, a new insight into Soviet airborne army equipment.

It is likely, the experts thought, that at least some of the planes were the Soviet TU-70, an aircraft bearing close resemblance to the American B-29. Assumption has been that the Russians copied many of the features of the B-29s known to have been forced down in Soviet-controlled areas during the war.

Reported to be a hybrid transport-bomber, the TU-70 has a passenger capacity of 72. This probably could be increased substantially, however, if the plane were used strictly as a troop carrier.

THE BREAK: Colombia

Not quite a month after the abortive revolution in April swept the capital city of Bogota into turmoil and caused damage throughout the republic, the government of Colombia formally severed diplomatic relations with Russia.

That the break was a direct result of the revolt, reportedly Communist-led and inspired, no one bothered to deny.

Officially, however, no mention was made of the uprising. Foreign Minister Eduardo Angel's note to the Russian charge d'affaires said simply that Colombia considered that there were no ties which warranted a continuation of diplomatic and consular relations between the two countries.

In concordance with the diplomatic action the Colombian government began to redeploy its troops and reorganize administrative machinery to strengthen its hold and prevent further outbreaks by Communists.

Object Lesson



Just to prove that the old green-back ain't what it used to be, Rep. Helen Gahagan Douglas (Dem., Calif.) purchased \$17.36 worth of groceries and toted the slim load onto the house floor to show her colleagues how prices have inflated since OPA controls expired in 1946. Mrs. Douglas has introduced a price control resolution in the house.

Glimmer, Glimmer

Science's long search to discover how the firefly is able to light up has been advanced another step as a result of new experiments.

Dr. Robert D. McElroy, John Hopkins university biologist, reported to the National Academy of Sciences that the lightning bug derives its power of self-luminosity from the same chemical energy that humans use in moving the muscles of their bodies.

Washington Digest

Voluntary Help Can Save Europe's Dying Children

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON—What to do until the doctor comes.

Pretty important to know that. Pretty important to be willing and able to do it. There are 230 million children in this world today who need first aid. The European recovery plan (E.C.A.) will help a lot of these children who have the stamina to outlive the ugly interim period when, dirty, almost naked, they must roam the countryside or live in cellars and hovels, hungry or starving.

But the E.C.A. is a huge undertaking, and like all great bodies, it moves slowly.



Anyhow, its chief purpose is to provide the means to restore normal conditions to the stricken areas of Europe. It is largely indirect aid, not gauged to individual cases.

Meanwhile thousands upon thousands of these children will die. Some will be saved by individual help—

your help. To make that help effective the many humanitarian organizations which seek to save as many young lives as possible have been merged into one great Crusade for Children. Local groups are organizing in the cities. In the rural districts, the Farm Grange, Farm Bureau federation, Farmers' Union, Council for Farm Cooperatives, U.S. department of agriculture and other groups are furthering the movement.

To anyone who has seen this tortured young generation, the effect is as staggering as the sight of a battlefield. To a young soldier, there is no shock like the sight of your first dead comrade. That still form, wearing the same uniform you wear, lying crushed against the earth. To me, the shock of the sight of European children moving with the shadow of a living death upon them was a terrible thing too.

I can remember getting off a train in what once had been one of the great railway stations of Europe—rubble ground into black mud, the ghastly smell of those buried deep under the foundations of ruined homes and shelters. Military police, hardened to the sights around them, walked back and forth. In the sinister shadows of the ruins the ghostly movement of little wraiths slipping in and out of sight, bent on any mission, no matter how fair or foul, that would win some chocolate, a piece of K-ration, a cigarette that might be traded for some bit of food.

No matter what the sins of the fathers, they could not be great enough to justify the punishment inflicted on these children. There is only one way their bodies and their souls can be saved. That is through the groups which are supported by individual donations, until economic life is restored to a degree of normalcy when society can be rebuilt, broken homes mended and the institutions which can care for the homeless put into operation as a part of a healthy community existence.

Government aid, like E.C.A., cannot establish direct contact with the individual. It is a matter of arrangements drawn up between nations. It means dollar credits which make it possible for the receiving nations to buy supplies.

Some of this money, of course, goes into food. But it takes time for the machinery to get into operation, and even after it is in operation, it is inadequate to satisfy the needs of the whole people. Much of the assistance goes into material things such as the reconstruction of factories, replacement and modernization of tools, machinery and agricultural supplies.

Frequently, supplies of such simple things as rakes and shovels are



This tiny child, long in need of medical aid, is now in a hospital supported by the U. N. International Children's Emergency Fund. Funds are being raised through the Crusade for Children of American Overseas Aid-United Nations Appeal for Children.

so short that farms can't be worked until they are furnished. Later they will be manufactured. But that means machinery for the factories comes first.

Crusade for Children is a well-organized private effort which has the backing and cooperation of the United Nations, and the sponsorship and approval of the government from the President down.

It provides direct citizen-to-citizen aid which is administered carefully with experienced personnel on the scene—personnel which cuts red tape and is free from many of the rules, regulations and restrictions which a government necessarily must employ. As a matter of fact, when the European recovery plan was first drawn up, it was contemplated that voluntary private aid would supplement it.

As an example of the type of thing Crusade for Children is designed to further: In Europe at present, there are some 50,000 distributing points, such as schools, child clinics and hospitals serviced by the International Children's Emergency Fund of the United Nations.

At schools and child centers, particularly through dried milk, ICEF makes a supplementary contribution to the noon meal, which costs the fund about three and a half cents per child. The entire meal



An Austrian orphan waits on snow-covered steps for the daily meal provided for him by the United Nations' International Children's Emergency Fund. He is one of millions who would starve without this vital service.

costs only seven cents per child. One hundred dollars provides 7,500 hungry, undernourished children one glass of milk each at every meal. But because of limited funds, ICEF is feeding only four million of Europe's 30 million hungry children.

Here are some of the sickening facts, carefully collected and checked by United Nations authorities:

Infant mortality in Europe and Asia has jumped from 40 deaths per 1,000 live births to as high as 330 deaths per 1,000—compared with the United States rate of 38.3 per 1,000.

Tuberculosis has doubled in many areas, especially among children. Lack of food has vastly increased such diseases as rickets, scurvy and pellagra.

Physical examinations in one zone (of Europe) showed that boys 14 years of age are three inches shorter than boys of the same age four years ago. This is the direct result of malnutrition.

In some areas half the physicians were killed; teachers, nurses and those trained in child care are lacking.

I have sat in the office of a German physician—one room left livable in a bombed house, windows boarded up to replace the smashed glass, operating room, consultation office, bedroom, living room, all together with an endless line of patients with nothing to pay for the doctor's services which would buy anything for the doctor. That doctor told me that because of the hopelessness of children, abortions were the rule rather than the exception, with sickness and death as the result.

Not the government, but private, voluntary agencies can alleviate these conditions. One may feel that Europe has brought much of its anguish upon itself, but it is not the children who are to blame.

As Secretary of State Marshall said: "Voluntary aid supplements the general relief which only governments can provide. It affords the things and services, including spiritual comfort, needed by the weakest of the war victims."

Secretary of State Marshall has warned South American countries that there will be no Marshall Plan for them. It appears that they either must go out and obtain private financing or work up a good Communist threat to share in Uncle Sam's largesse.

A modern president spends more effort trying to get what he wants into the papers and on the air than in finding out what's there already.



YOUNGSTERS WHO would like to make good money a few years from now, and not work too hard, should start throwing baseballs at various targets.

The N.P. (slang for National Pastime) is running out of pitchers. The N.P. needs more than double its present allotment of right or left arms that can get the ball over the plate with enough stuff to baffie the batter now and then.

Last year, for example, the Dodgers were good enough to win a pennant with a pitching staff composed of three or four-inning hurlers. They usually needed four or five pitchers to finish out one game. Yet they won a pennant.

The American league had only eight or 10 pitchers who were able to finish games. Both leagues were shy of arms that could locate a plate or go the distance.

Old-time pitchers such as Ed Walsh, Walter Johnson, Christy Mathewson, Pete Alexander and Cy Young could individually out-pitch the greater part of an entire modern staff.

Bob Feller could and can handle his share of work. So can Hal Newhouser, Ewell Blackwell and Warren Spahn.

Few pitchers today can work 250 innings in a season. Johnson, Walsh and other old-timers were pitching more than 400 innings a year. Any pitcher who can't work 250 innings shouldn't be listed as a starting pitcher. He is certainly no part of a regular. Yet, few pitchers now getting relieved around the fourth inning could think of working 200 innings without an attack of palsy.

Hurlers Pitch Less Today

Feller—Newhouser—Blackwell—Dickson—Munger—Marchildon—there wasn't a pitcher in the American league last season who worked 300 innings. Feller and Newhouser were the closest.

There wasn't a pitcher in the National league who worked 300 innings. Spahn, Blackwell and Branca were the closest—up around 280. Today, someone you'd rate as an average good pitcher works in less than 200 innings—say 150.

The decline in pitching—old-fashioned pitching—has been startling. This means in games pitched—in games finished—in innings pitched—in bases on balls in games won (from 30 to 41 a season).

Walsh worked in 67 games one season—winning 40 and saving 12 others. Today the pitcher who can go nine innings without being removed is a local hero.

This is why we advise all kids to start throwing. You won't have to be too good. The pitchers we rate as real pitchers this season are Blackwell, Feller, Newhouser, Spahn, Dickson, Brecheen and possibly Munger, Trout, Houtteman and one or two from Connie Mack's Athletic group; very likely Brissie; he may be the best.

A Championship Score

The finest championship golf score of the year to date was Claude Harmon's 270 at the Augusta National's Masters show. It was better than Ben Hogan's 275 at Riviera, where the next open will be played.

There have been endless discussions of what a championship score should be, but Harmon has ripped in the best answer to date. The Augusta National was keyed to its toughest test in every way. Riviera wasn't, with its rough cut, its baked-out fairways and its soft greens.

I doubt very much that 283 will be broken at Riviera in the National Open. And Harmon happens to be a golfer who is quite capable of winning a U. S. Open or the P.G.A.

Arcaro's Comeback

A year ago there was pretty fair evidence that Eddie Arcaro was slipping. The slender Italian from Kentucky was still riding fairly well, but he was no centaur. He was boomed around New York tracks whether he won or lost. It came to the point where it didn't matter to him whether they booed or cheered.

This was the situation when Arcaro headed for Santa Anita last December. But on this occasion his health was better. He was in better condition. And suddenly a new ambition was born.

"It will be different out here this time," he said. "It will be a lot different."

Eddie began winning. He began outriding Longden, Reeves and the rest of the outfit. When he saw he couldn't win he was no longer content to pull up and let other horses place and show. Now he was riding them out. All the way. He also was taking narrow openings, riding recklessly at times. He was the old Arcaro of winning years.

Then he came back East again. He began winning on opening day at Jamaica. He has been winning ever since.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

If grease in frying pan becomes overheated and catches fire, do not pour water into the pan: Turn off heat and cover pan—water causes blaze to flare up, whereas a cover confines and smothers blaze.

Revamp uncomfortable chair seats with a foam-rubber cushion. The spongy material is easy to cut; then cover with upholstery and tack into place.

Make sure your husband knows about this before you try it. A shaving brush is just about the handiest thing there is for dusting a pleated lamp shade.

It towels are wearing a little thin, a light starch will make them twice as absorbent.

When shoelaces lose their tips, twist the ends and dip in clear nail polish.

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CLEVELAND.—Mayer I. Blum of Philadelphia, heralded as "the world's perfect landlord," outlined his success formula to fellow Apartment House Managers of America, in convention here.

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A great wooden horse was used by the Greeks to gain entry into the city of Troy.

EG'LAR FELLERS

But The Worm Might Turn

By Gene Byrne



TRUE STORIES OF WEST TEXAS

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"HOW A CITY IS BUILT"

Little town of Abilene shivered as the winter swept in, on that night of January 13, 1888; and the doors of its many vacant buildings creaked ominously.

Founded as a shipping center by the Texas and Pacific Railway and named by Colonel Clabe Marchant and other cattlemen for the boisterous cowtown in Kansas, it had become depleted by the drouth of 1889. Its residents had returned east by the hundreds and now, lacking but two months of celebrating its seventh birthday, it seemed already dead.

Only around the new \$65,000 court house, built just before the drouth, was there some evidence of life. Here the tethered horses, hitched to farm wagons and city buggies, shivered as they awaited the return of their owners.

Inside the building a tall, well built man was speaking to a group

of tense listeners. "I need not tell you, my friends," he was saying, "that this is a land with a future; you know it. But many frightened away by the drouth have spread tales of its barrenness. We must prove its productivity to these and to others in the East. We must have people flood here as immigrants."

As Henry Sayles spoke, there were nods of approval. He had been their representative at state immigration meeting held in Dallas late in 1887. They were here to hear his report and launch plans of action.

"We must organize Taylor County so as to work up the immigration movement," Sayles concluded. Fred Cockrell, chairman, had immediate response from 22 different businessmen and firms when he asked for decisions; they donated \$25 each for an immigration advertising fund. J. M. Daugherty, Will Young and Edward S. Hughes, appointed to raise more, reported an extra \$125 after a five minute recess, bringing the total up to \$675.

Under the leadership of H. A. Tillet, secretary, the Progressive Committee of Taylor County was organized.

So definite was their advertising campaign that by January 11, 1889, just one year later, the freight agent of Abilene stated his movers' blunder had been coming in at the rate of a car a day for several weeks. By the fall not a single rent house was available in Abilene and the land firm reported \$22,480 worth of land sold in Taylor County in 10 days.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Annie N. Winkler Held at Anson

Funeral services were held in Anson for Mrs. Annie Naomi Winkler, Hamlin area people are advised, 64, who passed away at the home of a son, Ira Winkler, 501 Chery, Abilene at 6:05 o'clock p. m. Friday. Mrs. Winkler had been in ill health for over a year and seriously ill for six weeks.

Funeral was in the Anson First Baptist Church Saturday at 4:30 p. m. and was conducted by the local pastor, Rev. Henry Chambers, assisted by Rev. John Crow of the First Methodist Church. Burial was in the Mount Hope Cemetery under the direction of Lawrence Funeral Home of Anson.

Survivors are two sons, Ira and Roy, three sisters; Mrs. Ada Brown, Denton; Mrs. W. B. Hays, Dallas and Mrs. R. D. Shaddock.

Miss Dorothy Gardner of Port Worth, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardner.

The tide had been turned and the organized few had redeemed the Abilene country for posterity.

Dr. David C. Ballard
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Personal News:

Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department answered a call early Thursday morning to a small cafe in the colored section of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norton of San Diego, California were in Hamlin last Thursday visiting a short while with Mrs. Norton's old time friends. She is the former Carrie Boyd, daughter of the late "Byjo" Boyd, who was a merchant in Hamlin back in 1914-15. Mr. and Mrs. Norton went to De Leon to visit her sister, Mrs. Claude Withers an family. She gave a \$10 gift to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Bowen Pope reports.

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Burnell Dutton was dismissed from an Abilene hospital May 14. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gilreath of Sudan were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Beene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner has as their guest last week his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Bonner and mother, Mrs. Z. D. Bonner of Sweetwater. His niece, a registered nurse, Miss Maxine Bonner of McAllen also his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bonner of Long Island, New York.

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Over 15,000 Vets Receive Increased Subsistence Pay

More than 15,000 West Texas World War II veterans, Hamlin area included, in education and training programs in this area will be eligible for increased rates of pay through the Veterans Administration base on legislation signed this week by President Truman, according to a report Monday to The Herald by the VA regional manager, Robert W. Sisson.

Veteran trainees are urged not to write to the VA regional office at Lubbock, or to any other VA office, asking how to qualify for the increased subsistence benefits. This most recent change in legislation increases the wage ceilings and the number of dependents, which determines the amount of subsistence allowance VA can pay veteran trainees.

The new law also increases the subsistence allowances for part-time school training and for combination school and job training, including institutional on-the-job training.

Sisson said that the higher rates will be paid automatically to those veterans whose existing applications with VA contain the information needed to certify them for the increases. Adjustments for disabled veterans training under the Vocational Rehabilitation, Public Law 16 and qualified to receive additional benefits also will be automatic.

When additional information is needed from veterans training under the GI Bill, the veteran will receive a form from the VA regional office asking for the necessary data. Since adjustments will be made on the basis of those completed forms, veterans are urged to return them immediately when they are received.

Due to the necessity of checking the more than 15,000 individual files and the accounting process involved, initial payments at the higher rates will not be made before the July subsistence checks are sent out about August 1. The increase will be retroactive to April 1, 1948 in most cases, and the initial payment at the adjusted rate will include all increases due from April 1 through the end of the subsistence period covered by that check.

The higher ceilings for on-the-job trainees provide that earned income plus subsistence shall not exceed \$210 a month for a veteran without dependents, \$270 for a vet-

Veterans News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q—I am a World War II veteran and have been totally disabled for a few months. At the end of my sixth month of total disability, will I have to continue paying my National Service Life Insurance premiums or is a waiver granted automatically?

A—No automatic waiver of premiums is ever granted. A veteran must be totally disabled for six months before he may apply for a waiver of premiums. You are entitled to file a claim for refund of those premiums you paid from the date on which the waiver became effective.

Q—Who is entitled to the compensation or pension check received prior to the death of a veteran?

A—The check or checks received prior to the veteran's death become a part of his estate.

Q—I am a World War I veteran and would like to know if I can get a guaranteed loan under the provisions of the GI Bill?

A—No. Benefits of the GI Bill, Public Law 346, are for World War II veterans only.

Q—What is the largest amount I can borrow under the provisions of the GI Bill and still have the loan guaranteed?

A—There is no limit to the amount which can be borrowed under the GI Bill. The limitation by law is on the amount of the government guaranty and not on the amount of the loan.

er with one dependent, and \$290 for a veteran with more than one dependent. Previous limits were \$175 for a veteran with one dependent and \$200 for a veteran with one or more dependents. In the case of veterans in job training only, no change was made in the maximum subsistence payable of \$65 a month to veteran without dependents and \$90 to a veteran with one or more dependents.

Sentinels of Health

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Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—life itself—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure. When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out. Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance. The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body waste. Use Doan's Pills. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Insist on Doan's. Sold at all drug stores.

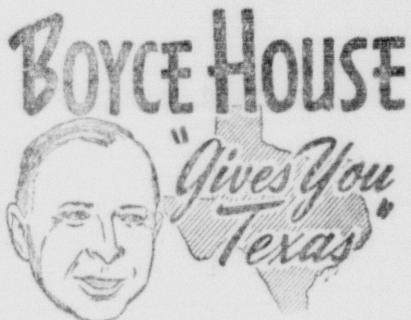
DOAN'S PILLS



HOSTESS TO SPONSORS

at the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford is Mrs. George Pryor Jr., who will serve in this capacity July 2, 3 and 5 according to a report to The Herald early this week by Hubert Watson, sponsor chair-

man. She was cowgirl sponsor for the same Reunion in 1934. Her mother was first hostess to cowgirl sponsors and this is the first year that the daughter of a former hostess has served in the capacity in the Reunion's history.



I want to enter a protests against cafes that announce on the menu "chicken and dumplings" and you order it and it turns out that the so-called dumplings actually are noodles.

Recently your columnist visited Arkansas, and when the bus rolled through El Dorado, that city had just been visited by a terrific hailstorm. Street lights were smashed; dents could be seen in the steel tops of automobiles; nearly all the panes of glass in a hot house were shattered. Hundreds of the hailstones were still to be seen in the gutters and on the lawns and they were almost as big as the proverbial hen egg.

In Warren, Arkansas, there is a minister, Rev. Hal Pinnell, who raises orchids.

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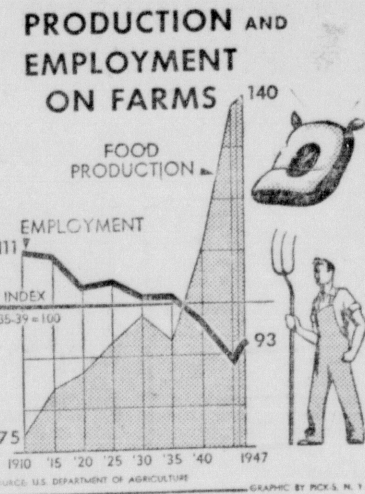
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Had No Advance Notice.

Jackson was sitting with his wife behind a plan on a hotel veranda late one night, when a young man and a girl took a bench nearby. The billing and cooing commenced. Hidden behind the palm, Mrs. Jackson whispered to her husband:

"Oh, John, he doesn't know we're here, and he's going to propose. Whistle to warn him."

"Why should I?" Jackson asked bitterly. "Nobody whistled to warn me."

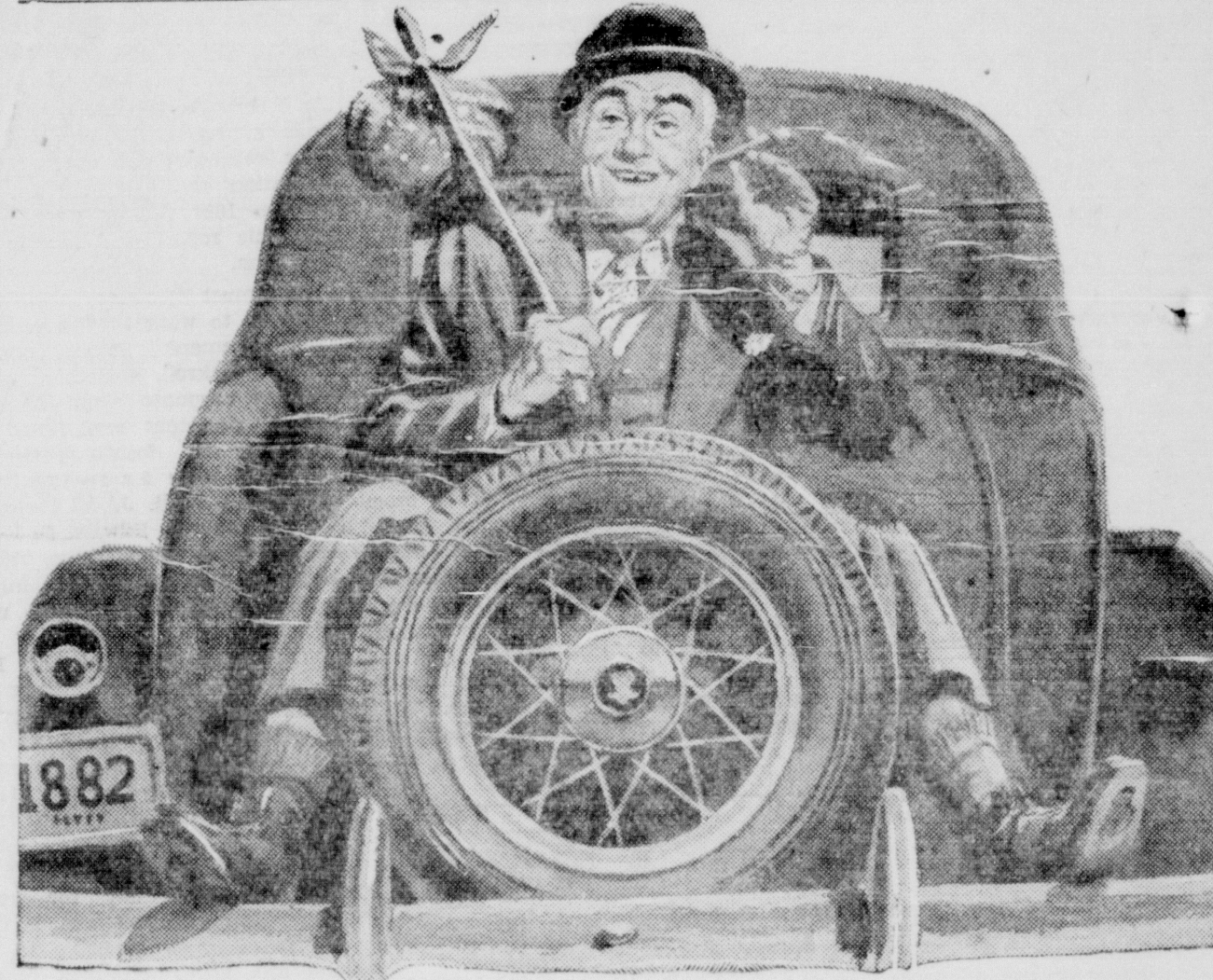
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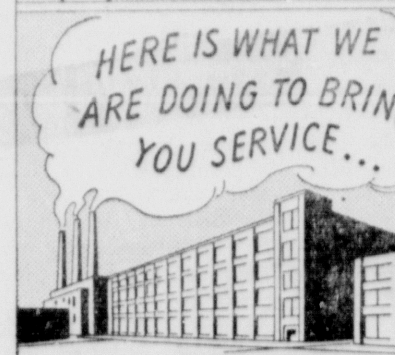
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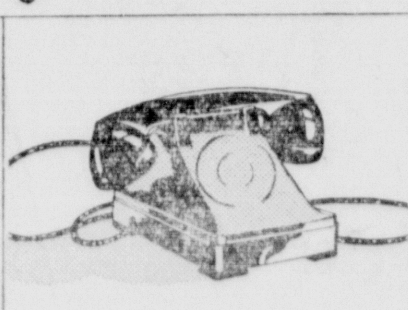
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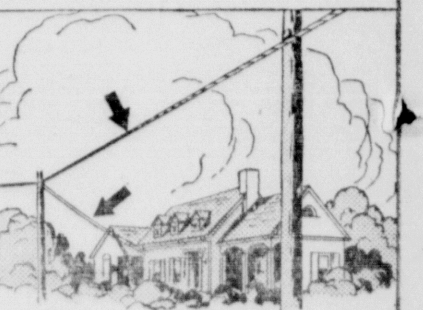
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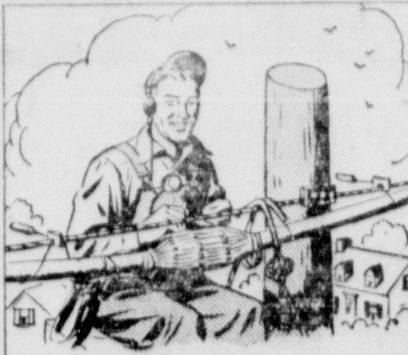
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The FICTION Corner

FIRST PRIZE!

By HELEN LANGWORTHY

ANNE BURTON turned pale when she saw the telegraph boy at her door. But just one moment later she was rushing to the telephone. Henry was amazingly slow to understand. She said it rapidly three times. "WE WON. WE WON. HENRY! THE TELEGRAM HERE SAYS SO. THE TRAILER COACH WILL ARRIVE . . ."

Henry caught on then, "you mean we won first prize in that soap contest?" His voice was hoarse with excitement.

"Henry Burton! That's just what I've been telling you!"

Henry muttered something that sounded like a combination of "Holy Mackerel" and "Jumping Catfish."

In the intervening days the Burtons were told over and over that they were the luckiest people alive. Dozens of people asked the rhyme the Burtons had submitted and walked away shaking their heads, mumbling "not half as good as mine."

Anne was almost delirious the day the trailer coach arrived. It was everything the pictures had shown. Chrome, clear varnish, soft lights and gadgets galore made it a fairyland palace.

"The only trouble," Henry complained, "is when I'm sitting inside waiting, I think of something outside I want to see. I never know which side of the door knob I'm after."

Eventually Anne made coffee and they tried to bring their chaotic thoughts to earth. Henry put his coffee cup down with a thud. "She will be the best trailer that ever sailed into Florida."

"Florida?" Anne paled. "You didn't say Florida! Henry—no!"

Henry had some difficulty getting a coherent account of the trouble with Florida. It developed that Anne's great aunt had been bitten by a rattlesnake while there in 1916. She had lived, but had reported there were dozens of snakes in Florida. Anne's "I won't go" was fervent.

Henry reasoned that 1916 was sometime back, that the snakes must have been killed off and that he personally would guard her. In the end they decided they wouldn't go to Florida.

Over their breakfast cereal next morning Anne made an elaborately casual suggestion. "How about going to California?"

Henry wondered if California guaranteed there were no snakes.

Anne smiled sweetly. "But the movies, Henry! Just think of seeing real, live actors." She sighed blissfully and let the toast burn.

Scraping the toast Henry inquired which actors she wanted to see.

"Peter Lawford, of course," Anne told him. Her smile was radiant.

"Not Cooper, Peck or Van Johnson," Henry teased.

"Oh, but they're all married!"

Henry spilled his coffee commenting, "Aren't you?"

It was different, Anne tried to assure him. He should realize how she felt. Henry didn't. Before he gave the front door a slam that could have been heard a block he growled that he wasn't going to California and moon over a lot of actors, even the unmarried ones, and that some people seemed to have never gotten over their swooning days.

Six handkerchiefs later Anne admitted to herself, with reservations, that she might have said the wrong thing. Working around their home all day she wondered what had happened that their beautiful happiness

was deserting them. She made an especially nice lemon meringue pie for supper and Henry brought her a box of candy rather sheepishly.

Everything was lovely once again at the Burton home. But nothing more was said about taking the beautiful trailer to California. In fact, it was two days later that Henry broached the subject of Denver.

"It would be fun," Anne agreed. She was to the point of mentally packing suitcases when Henry made an unfortunate remark.

"Boy, the fishing," he said dreamily. "Guys have told me they really catch 'em in the mountain streams."

They almost decided on New Orleans until Henry remembered the miles he tramped there in army

I go! Imagine every morning being forced to deliver last night's dream to Martha to mull over. No! I wouldn't like the New England states now if they gave a bonus to every trailer arrival. NO!"

And that was that!

In the week that followed they considered most of the U. S. as vacation possibility. If Henry made a suggestion, Anne had heard it rained there. If Anne suggested a state, Henry became positive his sinus would bother him.

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"But the movies, Henry! Just think of seeing real, live actors." She sighed blissfully and let the toast burn.

He tilted back in his chair, "Imagine trying on to a big one—!"

"Do you mean to tell me you'd spend our vacation fishing all the time!" Anne's tone was icy. "Any time you think I'll just go along for the ride! Denver—never!"

Henry attempted to explain he wouldn't fish all the time. But Anne's mind was made up.

Shortly after that Anne's sister, Martha, came to give the trailer her dignified once-over. Martha was secretary to a psychiatrist and had "ideas." Her conversation dripped psychoses, split personalities and the subconscious.

Anne was showing her around as Henry came in. Martha thought it a wonderful way to have a vacation.

"Where are you going?" She asked.

Feeling almost guilty—but why guilty!—Anne admitted that they hadn't decided.

Martha held forth on the New England states. She beamed at Henry as she told them she had always wanted to see the historical spots. She looked up at the ceiling as she related the dream she had the previous night. Using the doctor's pet terms, she explained her dream as a hidden desire, a desire very necessary of fulfillment for her to see the New England states.

She turned to Anne and asked brightly, "Surely you aren't going alone in that big trailer? It will easily hold another passenger!" Anne choked and looked at Henry. For answer he said, "We haven't decided. Want a ride home? I'm going your way, Martha."

When he returned his mind was as invincible as steel. "But," Anne protested, "Martha would enjoy it so much. After all—"

"After all," she doesn't go where

training days and his promise to himself, "Never again." The shiny nice trailer seemed destined never to be used.

Then Henry's cousins, the Nortons, descended on them. A visit from the Nortons never had been unmixed joy and hearing Jean Norton gush as she made the date over the phone, Anne trembled.

They came. Their five-year-old imp, Bill, was twice as troublesome as Anne had feared. It seemed that the Nortons were being forced to move. Jean Norton talked much of the luck of some people. She was frankly envious of the Burtons and their trailer.

Out in the kitchen while they washed dishes Jean Norton remarked that her doctor had said she needed a complete rest.

To herself, Anne thought that any one dealing with their Bill deserved a long rest.

Jean Norton cocked her head on one side and suggested delicately, "Bill wouldn't be the least trouble, and we could pay well. Wouldn't you like to take Bill with you? He would be so much company for you!"

Anne was seized with a sudden choking spell and escaped to the porch. Henry followed her out anxiously. She told him how she had been propositioned.

They stood there staring balefully at the trailer, shiny and bright in the darkness. "Life was more fun before we received first prize," Anne said dolefully.

Henry had a sudden, wonderful idea. They whispered. They started to shake hands in congratulations, then Anne's arms stole around Henry's neck. Close together they stood for a moment, each thinking life again was fine.

When they went inside Anne told the Nortons, "You're having trouble finding a house and you need a rest. Henry and I wondered if you wouldn't care to take our trailer?"

The Nortons fell on them. They laughed. Jean Norton half cried, "I can't understand what we ever did to make you share your wonderful, wonderful luck with us."

It was over at last. The Nortons left, promising their "undying gratitude," and making plans. Anne picked up ash trays and Henry yawned loudly as he leafed a magazine. He sat up, suddenly excited. "It says here there's a contest where you win a—"

Anne reached for the magazine and closed it firmly. "No! We might be unlucky enough to win."

First Circus Museum Has Nostalgic Items

Heralded as the first museum in the United States devoted entirely to the circus, the Ringling Art Museum has been opened at Sarasota, Fla. Eventually the museum will contain exhibits tracing development of the circus from Roman times.

The museum is located in an old warehouse, with a central pole and girders suggesting the interior of a circus tent. The building is on the estate of the late John Ringling, circus operator, who willed his residence and art museum to the people of Florida at his death in 1936.

Included among exhibits are five old circus wagons, costumes, masks, drawings for the decor of spectacles, handbills and photographs of famed circus characters.

Kathleen Norris Says:

Return of the Prodigal Husband

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features



"I can say truly that I don't even like the man who is my husband. Ollie says he will make me love him again if I give him a chance."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

A DETROIT woman sends me her very puzzling problem to solve this week. Like most of our troubles, so much depends upon her character, at which I can only guess, and so much upon the nature and disposition of her family, that it is hard to be definite. But at any rate, Anne has been assured, in a personal letter, of my sympathy and my prayers.

Anne's husband practically deserted her, some 15 years ago, when her son was 11, and her girls 8 and 7. He walked out, leaving a note to say that he was tired of the whole thing, and would send her money from time to time. That first time he was gone seven months.

Anne took boarders, cooking meals for 12 in a hot kitchen with three children under her feet. She sewed for her friends' children and afterward for a wider circle, making good money after a while. But that came only after years of struggle. When Ollie came back it was to borrow money for a Texas venture. He disappeared after a few weeks and did not come home again for a year.

This erratic coming and going, borrowing and disappearing, went on until about seven years ago, when Ollie disappeared completely. Anne got her boy through college, a daughter through nursing school and saw all three married. Then she sold the rambling old house, put a substantial nest-egg in the bank and was casting about as so many superfluous women must, for some sort of modest anchorage, when Ollie turned up again.

Ollie Is Repentant

This was six months ago. Ollie is now 52, Anne 49. Ollie is gray, quiet, repentant and anxious to start all over. His children, with the inconsistent and unjust enthusiasm of the young, always have rather idealized their father. He always has been affectionate with them when at home, taken them out to amusements and on one occasion gave all three bicycles, which generosity apparently has counted more with them than all their mother's years of sacrifice and devotion.

A piece of property recently left Ollie by an uncle consists of a small, two-family cottage, in one half of which he has comfortably established himself. And, maddeningly enough to Anne, he has begun to renew old associations, so that she always is meeting friends who are delighted that Ollie is back and hope to see them sometime.

"I am not resentful or revengeful," writes Anne, "but I positively will not entertain any thought of renewing our old relationship. Ollie may be as sorry as he likes, but that doesn't wipe out the terrible past, when I lay awake night after night worrying over ways and means to complete the children's education and maintain their support. I have told my daughters and my son this, but they continue to plead and hint at their satisfaction if their father and I were reunited."

"Ollie seems to have changed. But it makes me absolutely sick to think of recommencing the whole business over again, having him ask for help in the old way, having him step out when he has involved me in the old difficulties."

"My youngest daughter has just married a musician, well placed here at a religious institution now, before I say a word of advice, Anne, I want to say that I do most heartily concede that this is a wretched situation and that you have been treated abominably. Even your children aren't showing appreciation of what your burden has been."

But you've had a pretty good time, raising three children, finding your feet financially, succeeding in your work. As lives go, that was a good life. Now, if I were you, I'd try it with Ollie. I don't have to tell you to stand firm on the money point. Don't advance him one cent. Let the children do that. If they will, it may open their eyes a little.

This change means companionship, someone to think about, plan with, another voice and step in the house. Maintain your own room and your own privacy, of course. If the experiment fails, then go away for a year, travel, do a little deserting on your own account. Then come back and take up your life where it is now. It's not a perfect solution, but what is? Good luck and my prayers are with you.

Women's Labor Force Drops

WASHINGTON.—So many women between 20 and 34 have married and have had so many babies since the war that there would be a shortage of available female workers if large numbers of men were drafted for military service.

U. S. employment service, which made this prediction, said there were 20 million women in the labor force in July, 1945.

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"Ollie disappeared . . ."

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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: When the former tenants moved from here they scored the floors with their furniture. Is there any way I can remove the score marks?

ANSWER: Scraping with an electric floor sanding machine should take out most of the marks. If any slight hollow place remains after sanding, you may be able to make them less noticeable by building them up with several thin coats of a quick-drying varnish.

QUESTION: Please tell me how and what to use to paint the bathroom wallpaper, and how to go about it. The paper sticks well to the wall.

ANSWER: If you do not mind taking a chance on having the paper loosen, apply two coats of enamel undercoater and a final coat of good quality enamel. Do not use flat paint or any kind of calcimine.

QUESTION: What about painting a house with the spraying method?

ANSWER: If well done by a professional the job should be entirely satisfactory provided, of course, he uses top quality paint, the surfaces are warm and dry, and the weather is warm and dry.

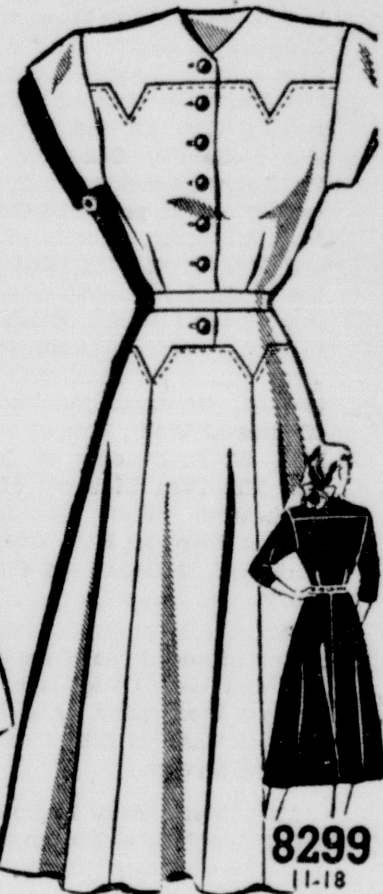


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I reach for them, and they are in thy hands, And closer than breathing, nearer than hands and feet, I feel thy presence wrapping me about, And thy comfort, Lord, is sweet.

Grace Noll Crowell

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

By GEORGE DARDEN

Mrs. J. P. Humphries passed away last Tuesday, May 11, in the Callan Hospital in Rotan after a long illness. Funeral services were held in the McCauley Baptist Church Wednesday, May 12, and burial was in the McCauley Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Leonard F. Webb, pastor of the Seventh Day Adventist Church of Lubbock and Rev. C. E. Dick, local pastor of the McCauley Baptist Church. Burial was in the McCauley Baptist Church. Mrs. Humphries is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters as follows: Martin of Mineral Wells, Pete of McCauley, Mrs. W. S. Peacock of McCauley and Mrs. Ben Maberry of Hamlin. Pallbearers were: Vernon Harris, George Darden, Paul Coope, J. I. Parker, C. D. Jones and George Maberry.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Mabery from Anton attended the Humphries funeral and visited friends in McCauley last Wednesday. Also here from Abilene was Joe Ellis to attend the funeral service.

Miss Mary Ann McCollum, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum of this city, will graduate from McMurry College, Abilene, May

25. Miss McCollum plans to enroll at Texas University, Austin this fall. B. F. Kemp well was plugged as a dry hole last Thursday after drilling 3.80 feet. We were in hopes of a deep test but guess the big boys figured something else. According to the crystal ball there is plenty of oil in this vicinity and it may take a deep test to get the home town all excited again. Well anyway, if rain comes soon there should be enough black-eyed peas planted to make all the natives rich. And too, this stuff called oil gets a man if he makes a bumper wheat crop and gets a flock of oil wells then—"high hats" his neighbors.

Speaking of politics; this man Lyndon Johnson from down in the sticks has thrown his hat into the ring for Senator Pappy's seat in the Senate. Remember, Mr. Johnson only liked a little better than a 1,000 votes to put the skids under Pappy a few years ago and we hope he will do the job this time with an overwhelming majority. He is plenty capable, qualified, young enough and smart enough to make a Senator that would make all Texas proud.

About five inches of rain fell in McCauley last Saturday afternoon within an hour and 20 minutes. The rain did not reach over much of the community with the exception of showers ranging from one quarter inch to a inch. Tanks were filled in the immediate vicinity and the planters will start humming this week.

See in the Press where Ma Ferguson has endorsed Lyndon Johnson for the U. S. Senate. In 1941 Ma was for W. Lee O'Daniel and against Johnson but wise folks change their minds.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fancher moved this week to Sweetwater where he is employed in a market.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Masser are the proud parents of a son born last Saturday in an Abilene hospital. Mrs. Masser is the former Betty Jo Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Darden of Girard spent the week-end in the home of son and family, the George Dardens.

J. N. (John) Wishert, prominent farmer of this community and constable of Prec. 2, Fisher County, passed away in the Callan Hospital last Saturday after several weeks illness. Funeral services were held at the McCauley Baptist Church Sunday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Rev. C. E. Dick conducting the funeral service. Mr. Wishert is survived by his wife and five children: John Jr., Berger, Alfred Ray of McCauley, Mrs. Casey Jones of Slaton, Verna Lee and Mildred of Stamford and several brothers and sisters. He is a old timer of this community. He suffered several strokes before passing. Pallbearers were: W. F. Davidson, R. L. Wilkins, B. F.



JOHNNY JONES OF McCAULEY (third from left) is a member of the McMurry College Indian Band French Horn

Quartette which performed last Friday night during the Spring Concert of the Indian Band. Concert was held at the College.

It has recently returned from its Spring Concert Tour, playing in the Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hewett of Stamford were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders.

Short, Ernest Webb and G. L. Lewis. Burial was in the McCauley Cemetery.

Mrs. J. M. Miller of Plainview sent in \$5 for the McCauley Cemetery Fund. It's rained folks and the Cemetery will need working so please send in your contributions.

Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church entertained the Seniors of the McCauley High School at their annual Banquet Friday night, May 7. All of the Seniors and 13 Juniors attended as well as the High School teachers. Rev. Finis McBeth of Sweetwater was principal speaker.

A large crowd attended the Bacca lateate Service at the Baptist Church last Sunday night. Rev. Temple Lewis was the speaker.

Personal News:

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan and Jerry and his father, Willie Duncan returned home the last week after a few days spent visiting in South Texas and Louisiana. They returned home by Houston where they visited the San Jacinto Battle Grounds and made a tour through the Battleship Texas anchored in the bay facing the San Jacinto Monument.

Mrs. W. L. Griffin of Merkel spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. W. Griffin. Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, an employee of post office force is off on vacation, leaving today (Friday) by air to visit her children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Holder in Westfield, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Forgy visited in Palo Pinto, Mineral Wells and Graham Sunday.

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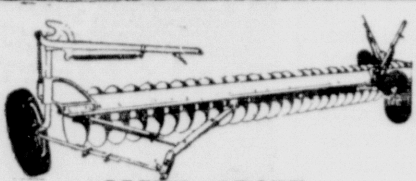
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